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THE MICHIGAN LIBERAL AND DEMOCRATIC CONVENTIONS—HON. AUSTIN BLAIR NOMINATED FOR GOVERNOR BY THE JOINT CONVENTIONS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Aug. 23.—The Liberal Republican and Democratic State Conventions met here to-day, each meeting at 12 o'clock m., in separate halls, for temporary organization. Hon. Randolph Strickland, ex-Member of Congress from the old Sixth District, was chosen Temporary Chairman of the Liberal, and Hon. Henry Chamberlain, of Berrien County, Chairman of the Democratic Convention. A considerable portion of the morning before the first session of each Convention was consumed in informally discussing the question whether the nominee for Governor should be a Liberal Republican or a Democrat. Every speaker in the Liberal Convention indorsed the proposition of nominating ex-Governor Blair, whose eminent services as the War Governor of Michigan, and as the leading Representative in Congress from Michigan for the past six years, had given him a prominence in connection with the bold and determined stand he had taken in supporting the Liberal movement, were conceded by all to entitle him to this honor. Those members of the Convention from the Democratic Congressional District who opposed to this proposition, because they urged that no other man but Governor Blair could carry the District for Congress, and because Governor Blair had already made great sacrifices in serving the State for four years as War Governor on the miserable salary of one thousand dollars per annum. The force of these arguments could not be denied, but they were answered in this way: That Governor Blair as the standard-bearer of the Liberal Reform party, it was possible to carry Michigan, which is of greater importance than it would to carry the Third Congressional District, and that, as Governor Blair was supporting this movement from principle, he ought to yield his objections to accepting the nomination, especially when it was conceded that his nomination would unite the Liberal and Democratic parties on no other nominee could do. All of the old counties of the State were represented in the Liberal Convention largely by delegates who have been wheel-horses, in their respective counties, of the Republican party since its organization. After appointing the usual committees, the Conventions adjourned until 2 o'clock. The afternoon sessions were commenced by reports and appointments of committees. The Permanent Chairman of the Liberal Convention was Hon. Dwight Cutler, of Grand Haven, a wealthy lumberman, and a Republican of prominence and influence, and the permanent Chairman of the Democratic Convention, Hon. William L. Stidcroft, Mayor of Port Hope. The Democratic Convention was unusually large and enthusiastic, and it was composed of the best men of the party. But one purpose seemed to animate the entire Convention, and that was to stand by their great "Principles, not Men," and to take such action only as would be most likely to insure success in the coming election, and at the same time insure a complete and thorough organization of the politics of the State from the gross and corrupting rule of Chandlerism. It was noticeable fact that the old Democratic leaders were the most earnest and zealous in their efforts to promote harmony, and yet, at the same time they recognized the right of the young men of the Democratic party to a voice in determining what its future policy shall be, as well as a voice in saying who should be the candidates chosen by the Liberal Reform party organized here to-day. The Committees of Conference appointed by the two Conventions have evidence that the policy of harmony and progress was finally to prove successful, and it is proved. During the absence of the two Committees of Conference, the delegates of each Convention were addressed by various speakers. In the Liberal Convention, two prominent colored men, Mr. Sweeny, of ANN ARBOR, and Mr. Carter, of Battle Creek, were, by a unanimous vote, invited to address the Convention, and stating that it was the desire of the Democrats to act in harmony with the Liberals, and to move forward in solid columns to success. President Gilmore replied in suitable terms. Colonel Grosvenor, on behalf of the Conference Committee, reported that both Conventions had arranged to divide the State and Electoral ticket as previously reported, each Convention to select the candidates allotted to its party, when both Conventions were to meet in joint session and ratify the whole ticket. Colonel Grosvenor also reported that the Democrats manifested a most hearty and sincere desire to effect a union and act in harmony with the Liberals, which had been fully reciprocated by the Liberals. The report was adopted unanimously, and loud cheers followed. A Committee of 3 was appointed to notify the Democratic Convention of the adoption of the conference report by the Liberals.

HON. THURLOW WEED SECURED DIX'S NOMINATION—THE ELECTION FRAUDS IN NORTH CAROLINA—REV. BUTLER'S LITTLE GAME IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The *Tribune's* correspondent tells the secret of General Dix's nomination as follows: "That veteran wire-puller, Thurlow Weed, has made one of the greatest successes of his life in securing the nomination, by acclamation, of General John A. Dix for the first place on the ticket of the Grant State Convention. It is admitted on all sides that the game was played by Mr. Weed in a masterly manner. The old man, according to trustworthy authority, had given the Custom House officers to understand clearly that no Republican had the slightest chance of being elected, and that it would not do to run A. B. Cornell for Lieutenant Governor, and it was supposed by those not in the secret that Dix was out of the field. His name was not mentioned in the convention until after the delegates had got into a snarl over their candidates. The Chairman had already twice directed the clerk to call the roll, when an unknown personage rose from a seat on the stage, and in a short and carefully prepared speech presented the name of John A. Dix. His speech, which was delivered from memory, was received with what appeared to be immense enthusiasm and applause. In the midst of great disorder the county delegates were waving up to the chair its intention of throwing a solid vote for Dix, and candidate after candidate was withdrawn. The details of the operation had been skilfully arranged by a great magician. The unknown man turned out to be George Wilkes, Mr. Weed's substitute in the Convention, for the veteran himself, though he has been in the city for two days, did not dare to expose his shattered nervous system to the rough shocks of the physical contest.

The *World* says: "Senator Conkling did not make his appearance in the Convention, or at the hotels. His friends give as an excuse that he is sick, the same as was reported of Thurlow Weed, but it notes Weed has taken his meals regularly at the public table of Bagley Hotel. General Dix went into the Convention without a doubt the same as he went into his fellow Breckenridge Democrat, General Butler, Lake Butler, he has been a Republican from his childhood's days, a long time since. In the last Presidential election he wrote a letter from Paris vituperating the Democratic candidate. He has not been with the party nor possessed its confidence since he was a supporter of Breckinridge and an office-holder under Buchanan. Thurlow Weed, having discovered that the Republican name of this State need a Democratic candidate, and being unable to find any other, selected Dix. The report was adopted unanimously, and loud cheers followed. A Committee of 3 was appointed to notify the Democratic Convention of the adoption of the conference report by the Liberals."

THE RE-ELECTION MACHINERY BEING ARRANGED IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—The Administration authorities, who have been boasting in North Carolina, and all other convenient places, that they would carry that State for Grant in November, evidently understood their business, and thought they knew what they were talking about. The re-election machinery which was put into Grant's control by the last Congress is to be appealed to, and preparations have already begun to set it in motion. The Federal Judge Bond, who sentenced Ku-Klux to the Penitentiary by the hundreds last fall, has applied for the appointment as Chief Supervisor of Elections in North Carolina under the Enforcement Act of the notorious Shellabarger, one of the most corrupt partisans in the entire South. His official record as United States Commissioner at Raleigh is one of the most audacious cases of abuse and petty tyranny. Judge Brooks, it is not joined in the recommendation. He will therefore, probably be superseded, so that the State may be spared. The new judicial district in the western part of the State, created last winter at the special request of John Pool, is also being used as a re-election machine. Postponed trials, involving the pecuniary ruin of any of the indefendants, are among the means now willingly resorted to for securing the Grant strength in Western North Carolina.

Senator Thurman leaves to-morrow for Ohio, and will take an active part in the canvass in that State.

MR. HENDRICKS' SPEAKING TOUR IN INDIANA.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

ROCHESTER, Ind., Aug. 22.—Mr. Hendricks delivered another Morton and Grant funeral oration at this place to-day before a great concourse of enthusiastic people. On his way from Hartford, last evening, he had to lie over several hours for the train at Bunker Hill Junction. As soon as his presence was known, the inhabitants of the town besieged the hotel, and a committee welcomed him, and solicited a speech. He was reluctantly compelled to comply. His voice was not in condition, and needing rest. They were determined to have something, however, so they sent up an impromptu Pea-pipes to a large number of the citizens called, shook hands and conversed to their hearts content. Everywhere he encountered gratifying tokens of respect and esteem.

Another Committee received him at the depot here at 9 o'clock this morning, and conducted him to the Nelson House. He rose to find the city overcast and rain threatening. The clouds vanished, however, and the sun shone brightly on the fair town. The farmers from the country began to arrive in carriages and wagons, accompanied by their wives and children. Young men and boys came in gangs on foot, and others came in buggies, with fair companions beside them. Banners were hung across the streets and from the windows, and the hotels and saloons were filled with visitors, and the streets with animation. About noon a grand procession of wagons and horsemen, a mile long, escorted the crowd to main street. The horses were decorated with Hendricks flags, leafy arbors covered the wagons, protected the occupants from the rays of the sun. One immense wagon contained as many young ladies as there are States in the Union, all of them clad in white and waving flags. They had come eight miles from Uniontown Township, since morning, to participate in the jubilee. There were five bands in the procession. As it passed the hotel, Mr. Hendricks was espied on the balcony, and three cheers, sounding from end to end of the line, were given for the great Hoosier. The next President and Vice President were complimented in the same way. The bands struck up a spirightly tune, and the living panorama moved on at once. Mr. Hendricks, in a carriage, preceded by a band, was driven to the Court House square, where the audience had began to assemble. Seats were provided in front of the stand, but were left empty, as they invited the people. Hundreds were compelled to stand or make sofas of the grass. Jacob S. Stack introduced the Senator, who spoke for two hours. He spoke with power for over two hours, his arguments being fully appreciated and warmly applauded. Cheers were given for Grant and Brown and Hendricks. The people shook hands with him, that is, as many as could get within reach.

In the evening Mr. Hendricks was serenaded by the bands. Bonfires were lighted all over the town, and the city was illuminated. Mr. Hendricks briefly responded to their compliment in a brief speech, as it was followed by other gentlemen. There is not one of the most enthusiastic and respectable demonstrations that has ever occurred in Northern Indiana. The people are aroused every where, and their enthusiasm is unbounded. Mr. Hendricks speaks to-morrow at KOKOMO, with Mr. Julian.

THE WEST VIRGINIA ELECTION.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug. 22.—Owing to the irregular vote for Governor, the result of this election cannot be known definitely till morning. The meagre facilities for receiving from the interior will render it impossible to get the full vote of the State known. In this county, from returns as far as have been heard from, the Independent county ticket will be elected by a majority. The Democratic ticket by a considerable majority. Returns from a portion of Lewis, Preston, and Hancock Counties give heavy majorities against the Constitution and in favor of the Independent candidate for Governor and Congressman. Returns, as far as received, place this county on the same footing.

WHEELING, W. Va., Aug 22.—The vote in this city could not be counted to-day. The ballot is very long and the scratching and cross firing was unprecedented. It cannot be counted so as to be announced before Friday. The vote was for a New Constitution, for Congressman-at-Large, State officers, and County officers. No Republican candidates except for County officers. The other Opposition are Independent Democrats. As far as counted up to this hour (midnight), the returns indicate a large Opposition majority. This is the most lucrative office in the State, and there was a great fight for it. The news from other points is meagre, and of similar character. Hancock County promises to double the majority.

GREENBRIER, WHITE SULPHER SPRINGS, W. Va., Aug. 22.—The election in this section of the State passed off quietly. Not more than half a full vote polled, the largest on record. In this township, where there is about 600 mainly for Sanders and the adoption of the Constitution. This county (Greenbrier) has evidently come largely for Sanders and the adoption of the Constitution. Major Matthews, Democratic candidate for Attorney General is largely ahead of his ticket in this county. The official count will not be known before to-morrow. The negroes, with few exceptions, voted solidly against the adoption of the Constitution and for Jacobs, independent candidate. The telegraph wires are down between New Richmond and Cincinnati, on the line of the Ohio Railroad, and no returns can be received from that locality.

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATIONS.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 22.—The Republicans of the Sixth Congressional District met this morning, and nominated H. E. Havens for re-election to Congress.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 22.—The Long Branchers held their Convention this afternoon, and elected Singleton Ogle Speaker. Offices clique of office-holders who run the politics in this section of the State were represented. Hon. Col. Cole, California, nominated for Congress, and James W. King, of Morgan, for State Board of Equalization. Poor Brown will be defeated by his friends, but he knows who beat him, and may live to square accounts. He says he ought to have come to Springfield and stayed by his friends, but he had his chances would have been better. He thought the people made the nominations, and in this he mistake was dominated. The Convention was a small affair. Not half the number of delegates were present allowed by the call. Not one-fourth of the Cook County men, and one unacquainted with the purpose of the meeting would have supposed it had met to defeat the Liberal Convention.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Aug. 22.—The Second District Republican Convention to-day nominated S. A. Dobbins for Congress.

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 22.—The Democrats of the Third District have nominated D. C. Giddings for Congress.

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 22.—The Liberals of the Seventeenth District, to-day, nominated for Congress Colonel William R. Morris, of Monroe County.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Aug. 22.—The Republicans of the Sixth Congressional District nominated, to-day, Hon. Hiram Price, of Davenport, Iowa.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 22.—Your correspondent was shown to-day, by a friend in this city, to whose father it was written, an autograph letter from DeWitt Clinton, dated June 15, 1824, in which the following paragraph occurred:

"The contests for the Chief Executive office are assuming a serious character, and I perceive they are in future contested by the boisterous constitutional provisions, and produce alarming results. It has been well observed that the first four years of the President are devoted to procuring a re-election, and the remaining four years in providing a successor."

As further proof, if that was necessary, that the Stanton Dunean Democracy of this city are by Grant and his friends, I was being run by Grant and his friends, I send you the name of the gentleman selected in Menard County to go to Louisville to represent that county in the September Convention. This is the only Democrat in Menard county who has ever held office, and is an ardent supporter of General Grant. My informant is a gentleman of Menard County, and he further says that the Convention was held in a grove of white oak timber, at Petersburg, which nominated Ruh; and further, he will wager a hundred dogs that there are not five Democrats in the county who will vote against Greeley.

Isaac Cagdell, an old and prominent citizen of Menard County, Ill., an 1856 Republican, has forsaken President Grant and his numerous family, and enlisted in the army of Reform. Mr. Cagdell will give his reasons why in an address to the citizens of Salisbury, Sangamon County, to-morrow evening.

The State ticket nominated by the joint action of the Liberal and Democratic Conventions at Jefferson City, Missouri, yesterday, is as follows: For Governor, Silas Woodson, Democrat; Lieutenant Governor, C. H. Frost, Liberal; Secretary of State, Eugene F. Weigel, Liberal; Register of Lands, Frederick Solomon, Liberal. Nominations were also made for Electors and Judges of the Supreme Court.

General Pillow having recently, in a letter to the Secretary of War, asked to be paid the value of two hundred mules seized by the Union troops at Helena, Ark., in 1862, the Attorney General, to whom the matter was referred, has given his opinion that the claim is not good, the property having been seized in a State which attempted to withdraw from the Union, the owner at the time being disloyal to the Government.

The re-election machinery in North Carolina is soon to be put in order. Judge Bond has applied for the appointment as Chief Supervisor of Elections, under the Enforcement act, and the new Judicial District in the western part of the State, created at the special request of Senator Pool, is being used as part of the machinery to develop the Grant strength in the locality.

Yesterday's Congressional nominations were: William R. Morris, Liberal, Seventeenth Illinois District; M. M. Chamberlain, Grantite, Twelfth Illinois District; John B. Hawley, Grantite (renomination), Sixth Illinois District; James Taylor, Grantite, Twelfth Ohio District; H. E. Havens, Grantite (renomination), Sixth Missouri District; S. A. Dobbins, Grantite, Second New Jersey District; D. C. Giddings, Democrat, Third Texas District.

Senator Clingman, of North Carolina, writing to a friend in New York, estimates the number of illegal votes cast at the recent election in his State at from 8,000 to 10,000. He says the negro county of Halifax shows 850 votes in excess of the voting population, and that a like result occurred in many other counties where the colored race are in the majority. In his own county (Buncombe) where the white voters outnumber the blacks, the vote was 350 less than the number registered.

The Michigan Liberal Republican and Democratic State Conventions met at Grand Rapids yesterday, and, after permanently organizing, each appointed a conference committee to nominate a State ticket. These committees subsequently reported to their respective bodies the following ticket, which was unanimously accepted: For Governor, Hon. Austin Blair; Lieutenant Governor, John C. Blanchard, of Ionia; Secretary of State, George H House, of Lansing; Auditor, Neil Abearn, of Livingston; Commissioner of State Land Office, George H. Murdock, of Berrien; Attorney General, Matthew H. Maynard, of Marquette; Treasurer, Joseph A. Hollen, of Saginaw. A full Electoral ticket was also put in nomination. The proceedings were harmonious throughout, and the nominations were received with much enthusiasm. The formal work of the two bodies having been completed, they met in joint session, and were briefly addressed by Governor Blair. In the evening a grand ratification meeting was held, which was attended by at least 6,000 persons. The ticket is a strong one, and well deserves the success it is likely to attain.

The Chicago produce markets were moderately active yesterday, but with an easier feeling in the leading breadstuffs. Mess pork was quiet, and 40a50c per brl higher, closing at 14.75a5.00 for cash or seller September. Lard was more active, and unchanged, at 8 3-8a8 1-2c per brl for winter, and 8 1-8a8 1-4c for summer made. Meats were scarce and higher, closing at 6 5-8c for shoulders, and 9 1-4a9 1-2c for short ribs. Highwines was rather more active but 2 3-4 lower, closing at 89 1-4a89 1-2c per gallon. Lake freights were active, and 1-2a1c higher, closing at 3c bid, and 9 1-2c asked on corn by sail to Buffalo. Flour was very quiet and quoted unchanged. Wheat was fairly active for shipment, and 1a3c lower, closing dull, at $1.35a1.35 1-4 cash, and $1.13 1-4a1.13 1-2 seller September? Corn was less active, and 1-4a1c lower, closing firm at 37 1-2a38c cash, and 38 3-4a38 7-8c seller September. Oats verednull and 1-2c lower, closing at 26c cash, and 25 3-4a25 7-8c seller September. Rye was dull and unchanged, at 51c. Barley was in fair demand and steady, at 60c for new No3, and 64c for do seller September. A decline of 5c, the hog market was fairly active. Sales were effected at $3.45a3.85. The cattle trade was again dull and weak. There were few buyers, and sales dragged at $1.85a3 25. Sheep were dull and weak.

Fire.

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DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 22.—A Muskegon special of to-day, says that Mann & Moon's steam sawmill, on Muskegon Lake, was burned this morning, while he mill was running. The fire caught in the Engine House, Franklin, Underwriters, Lorrillard, and North American for $16,500. About 200,000 feet of lumber belonging to Mann & Moon, Arton Brothers, and S.M. Wilcox, were also burned.

Weather Prognostics.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, Aug. 22—7 p. m.—Northerly to westerly winds and clear, and slowly rising weather New England and the Middle States on Friday; partly cloudy weather and areas of rain for the South. At antic coast: clear weather from Louisville to Alabama, and thence to southerly winds and falling barometer from Kansas to Missouri and to Lake Superior.

FOREIGN.

Further Particulars of the Riot at Belfast, Ireland.

Failure of a London Firm with Liabilities Amounting to $10,000,000.

Mexico Quiet and the National Credit Improving.

Great Britain.

LONDON, Aug. 22—Gladstones & Co., large East India and China merchants, have failed. Their liabilities are two million pounds sterling. The failure flattens this market for consols.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 22—The St. Patrick has arrived.

LONDON, Aug. 22, 2 p. m.—Despatches from Belfast last evening report the condition of the city somewhat better than during the day. Encounters between the inhabitants had ceased, but mobs of desperadoes were still engaged in wrecking houses. The loss to property-holders is heavy.

Yesterday, while a detachment of police was attempting to arrest persons firing from houses into the street, they were fired at, but escaped injury. Two policemen returned the fire, but its effects are not known. It is believed that since the disorder commenced several rioters have been killed, and the casualties are strictly barred by friends.

It has been decided to abandon the proposed demonstrations of welcome upon the return from America of Mr. Johnson, Member of Parliament.

Many families are still leaving Belfast. The working classes express great indignation at the conduct of the magistracy in dealing with the rioters.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—Several buildings were fired last night in Belfast. The magistrates have petitioned the Lord Lieutenant to place Belfast under the Peace Preservation act. A heavy rain there, last night cleared the streets of the rioters. Hooers has been identified as the murderer of a policeman. Several rioters have been sentenced to prison for one and two months, but the aggravated cases were sent to the higher courts.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Prince of Wales has gone on a yachting excursion to the coast of Fr ance.

General Sherman paid a visit to the ancient town of Dundee yesterday.

The importation of Belgian coal continues on an enormous scale. It is now running 4 millions per ton cheaper than English coal.

LONDON, Aug. 23—6:30 p. m.—There was a disturbance in Belfast last night. The police continue to occupy the streets, and the recent stringent regulations are still in force.

The "Belfast riots" have become to an end, and peace and order have been restored.

France.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—The steamship Panama, which sailed from St. Nazaire on the 10th, was lost in a storm off the Spanish coast, near Santander. The passengers and crew were saved.

The Baltic arrived Aug. 21.—Specialties landed at Havre to-day. On reaching the shore the band played the "Marseillaise" amid great enthusiasm on the part of the large crowd which welcomed them home.

The Prince of Wales arrived at Trouville, Wednesday, and was greeted by Thiers. The reception was entirely informal. Cheers and the Prince promenaded on the beach to-day.

The Duke of Grammont presented to Thiers a letter from the Emperor of Russia, which states that the meeting of the Emperors at Berlin is not aimed at France.

The Arbitration.

GENEVA, Aug. 22—The work of the Tribunal of Arbitration draws to a close. Counsel on behalf of the English and American Governments have concluded their arguments. To-day Count Sclopis, the Secretary of the Court, in the drawing up of a statement of accounts between the two nations, of the sums occasioned by the depredations of the Alabama and Confederate privateers. All the members of the Tribunal are to dine together to-morrow, and Sir Alexander Bancroft Davis, the American Agent, will give a ball in their honor on the same evening.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 22—The sessions of the International Statistical Congress were opened to-day by the Grand Duke Constantine. The ceremonial on the occasion were of a solemn and impressive nature.

Mexico

CITY OF MEXICO, Aug. 22.—All the revolutionary leaders have accepted the amnesty offered them, except Garcia De Cardena, who, holding out obstinately, was captured.

Porfirio Diaz is expected at the Capital next week. President Lerdo De Tejeda entertains the kindliest feelings toward him, and will probably appoint him to an important office.

The Cabinet is still unchanged.

Fredrick Plaisier Bridges, San Luis, and Zacatecas have been restored to their State Sovereignty.

Lerdo has contracted a loan of half a million dollars. This is the first time in many years that the Government has enjoyed credit.

The Liberals are unanimously mentioned as a Presidential candidate. The Juarezista hold private caucuses to-night.

Telegraphic advices to the United States offer the fall state elections.

Small bands of pronunciados still roam about carrying on depredations. Steps are being taken to suppress the evil.

Commerce is returning slowly, and trade is somewhat improved.

Mr. Theele, an American citizen, is still detained in the Chihuaua prison. Thiele complains of ill-treatment. Minister Lee has no news of him in his case. The Americans in Chihuaua are excited over the matter. Other persons doubt the reported inactivity of Minister Nelson.

VOODOOISM.

Strange Manifestations and Superstitions in Ohio County, Ky.

Hartford, Ky. (Aug 6. Correspondence of the Louisville Journal.)

Some days ago there appeared in this neighborhood a colored doctor, named Brown, and immediately after his arrival in the community, two blind girls living some and a half miles from Hartford, were stricken with some unaccountable ailment. Brown pronounced it "a spell" which some think a plain English word. Early in the evening of the day on which the two girls were attacked, all the biscuits in the vicinity began to assemble at the house of the two girls. Brown, and a mulatto assistant were there, and the two conducted the two girls down to a creek, some half a mile distant, and there Brown pronounced some incantations before the crowd which had followed them from the house.

Then Brown took the two girls and his assistant back to the house. But before leaving he requested the crowd to remain outside for a time to remain at the creek until he (Brown) should call to them to come to the house. After Brown & Co. had had the two girls at the house quite a while, one of them called to the crowd to come. After entering the shanty, said quiet being restored, Dr. Brown announced that some kind of spell had been practised upon the two girls, and that the witch was present in the room. He approached every woman in the room and sprinkled a little sulphur in each one's hat. Then he walked back ward out of the door into the yard, turned over a few stones, wound his arms around in Black Crook style, and re entered the room. Approaching an old colored woman, he told her she had been wronging the girls, and that their friends desired her to leave the premises. The old colored woman, very much frightened, creamed out that she had "done nuffin!" But in this case she was seized by the crowd and stabbed in one or two places with a knife. The wounds were not fatal, and she escaped. The next day several parties were arrested and fined by the town authorities. The charges preferred were sustained against several, and they were put under bond. The matter however does not end here. The time charm, devility, or witchcraft, or whatever it was—that the original two girls were afflicted with, seems to be prevailing in an epidemic form with the balmoss of the girls and crowd. To-night, while sitting in front of the hotel I received an invitation to go down to the negro quarters and witness some of the performances. I readily accepted, and, in company with two acquaintances—Mr. Hardwick, of Hardwick & Nall, and Mr. Roe, of the Hartford Hotel—I started. After winding through several alleys, we reached a house that contained three sufferers. We were ushered into a front room, on which were lying, or rather squirming, two black girls, one 18 years old, in a back room, a married woman occupied the other bed, and she, at times, was most violent of them all. Five or six of their relatives were in constant attendance, to prevent them from inflicting upon themselves any bodily injuries. A mulatto doctor was constantly administering some kind of herb medicine, which he took from time to time from a bottle. At times the victims would quiet down and appear perfectly sane, and then in a few moments they would rave, scream, kick, and jump in a most frightful manner. They are now both made, for it was impossible to keep any clothes on them. They complained of very acuting pains in the stomach, head, and side, and all three requested me to get them a little of the tops of dried weeds, for they said it hurt them. I asked one of them what she had been eating, and she answered, "I hain't eat nuffin for a long time, 'cept go get supper." The matter is creating considerable excitement in Hartford, and I hear various comments, but no one has yet been able to fathom the mystery.

—A chemist announces his ability and readiness to convert the remains of any dear departed at once into a powder, which may be used to dry up ink in writing.

MARRIED.

LAUTERMILCH—PERRINE—Aug. 12, 1872, at the residence of Robert Christ, 321 Washington street, by the Rev. Oliver Lee Fowler, H. D., Leopold Lautermilch and Miss Maggie H. Perrine.

[No Toledo, N. Y., and Cleveland, Ohio, papers please copy.]

DIED.

MCLUTON—In Chicago, Thursday morning, Aug. 22, Minnie A., infant daughter of Rollin H. and Julia A. Moulton.

Funeral from residence, 810 Fulton street, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family invited.

MCMORRINE—At Matteawan, Dutchess County, N. Y., on the 14th, Isabella, wife of John McMorrine, eldest daughter of the late Hon. Ben Graham, in the 40th year of her age.

HILL—On the evening of the 21st, Grace A., daughter of C. and H. Hill, aged 2 years.

Funeral services to take place at 10 Dearborn place, on Friday, Aug. 23, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends of the family are invited.

WILCOX—Aug. 22, Sexius Jewell, Jr., son of Sexius N. and Sarah A. Wilcox, aged 9 months and 7 days.

Funeral from residence, 420 West Washington street, on Sat., at 10 a. m. Friends and Little Reid, of Chicago, aged 4 months and 6 days.

[Evanston papers please copy.]

FARMLY—The funeral of John Farmly will take place from his late residence, southwest corner Wabash avenue and Eighteenth street, Friday, Aug. 23, at 10 a. m. All fire-engine masters are respectfully invited to attend.

MEETINGS.

Masonic.

Special Convocation of Washington Chapter, No. 43, R. A. M., this Friday, evening, at 7:30 o'clock, work on M. M. and P. M. degrees. By order of the H. P. JOHN WHITLEY, Secretary.

Masonic.

Corinthian Chapter, No. 66, R. A. M.—Regular Convocation this Friday, evening at 8 o'clock. Work on the M. M. Degree. J. O. DICKERSON, Secty.

BUSINESS CARDS.

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Chicago, Aug. 22, 1872.

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STATE FAIR.
The State Fair, for 1872, will commence on Tuesday

PRESIDENTIAL INTEMPERANCE.

A Clergyman's Testimony as to Grant's "Drinking Habits."

Senator Wilson Tells the President That "He Drinks Too Much."

Grant papers have been making a great deal of late, over an accusation that the Hon. B. Gratz Brown, the Liberal candidate for Vice President, was guilty, recently, at New Haven, Conn., of placing himself under the influence of liquor. This accusation, originating from an obscure quarter, has been thoroughly refuted by the testimony of Governor English and other prominent gentlemen, who were with Governor Brown during the whole of his sojourn in that city; and the State officers of Missouri and a large number of leading citizens of the capital of that State, have, of their own accord, borne public testimony to the extremely temperate habits of the Governor. The organs of the Administration, however, pay no attention to the disproof of the charge, but continue to circulate and comment upon the original slander.

People who live in glass houses should not throw stones; and the question of temperance, in connection with the habits of National candidates, is one that the Administrationists would do well to avoid discussing, as they will discover by a perusal of the following correspondence:

Rev. Charles Wheeler Denison, Editor of the National Harbinger, Washington, D. C.:

MY DEAR SIR: The time has come for action.

We must have "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth," in reference to the moral principles and personal character of our rulers, if it be possible to arrive at correct conclusions, so that temperance men, prohibition voters, who wish to be consistent in all their acts (using the ballot inclosed) may cast their votes for both Liberal Reasons who are favorable to the prohibition of the liquor traffic first, last, and forever.

If we believe that the temperance question is now the great national issue before the American people, we must labor for the culmination of that grand issue in all honorable ways politically as well as moral.

Already are our political opponents in different parts of the country busy at work building up a false character for General Grant on his temperance proclivities, as a nice little basis for catching the votes of temperance men this fall, to help re-elect the General as our President for four years more, and thereby detract from our prohibition party votes.

Yes, our Republican party friends (?) have been steering the aid of ladies, even, to assist in substantiating the temperance character of our President.

The important question now is, is President Grant a drinking man? Is he intemperate? and does he encourage the tippling customs of society?

We want to know.

Mrs. Mary J. R. Bael of your city (Washington, D. C.) says General Grant is not an intemperate man.

And I heard, not say on the floor of the Pennsylvania State Prohibition Convention (held in Erie Hall, at Altoona, Pa., on Friday, June 14, 1872), that General Grant was and is an intemperate man!

Now which is correct?

Now, my reverend and dear sir, as you are a true, fearless, and outspoken temperance man, as leading prohibitionist, the editor of a National Prohibition journal, and a defender of truth and justice, I would respectfully ask that you give to the world, through the columns of your excellent paper, what you know about President Grant's drinking habits.

Let us have the truth!

Yours fraternally, J. T. YARRINGTON.

CARBONDALE, Luzerne County, Pa.

OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL HARBINGER, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: I am this morning in receipt of your letter of the 28th inst., asking for the exact truth with regard to the drinking habits of President Grant.

In giving you the information of the facts that are known to exist in this important national matter, allow me to premise that I have always, at all times, and in all places, been a friend of our Chief Magistrate.

I was one of the first to advocate his being brought from his command at the West to the front of Richmond.

I wrote a book of his life, known as "The Tanner Boy," which had a wide circulation.

I was ready on occasions to vindicate him on the temperance question, and was glad of his coming to Washington to learn that for over year immediately preceding and connected with his inauguration he had almost entirely abstained from the habitual use of strong drink.

It was during this period, and for a short time preceding, that he was reported, and in the manner spoken of by the excellent woman (Mrs. Mary J. R. Bael) to whom you refer in your letter.

She (I regret to be under the necessity of informing you that an unfavorable change has come over the personal habits of President Grant in this respect.

I am sorry to be honest to say, from the facts of which I have possession, that no consistent temperance man can support him.

It cannot be denied in Washington that he has on several occasions been under the influence of liquor. The times and places can be specified if they are demanded. The parties who seen him in this condition can be produced.

In a conversation last winter with Senator Henry Wilson, that gentleman said to me:

"Grant drinks too much;" and concluded with the remark:

"I have told him so."

Senator Wilson will not deny this fact.

Many similar cases can be adduced.

A gentleman well and favorably known in Washington, one who has long occupied a public position in the national capital, informed me that on the night immediately following the last great speech of Senator Sumner, two respectable citizens, walking together in Jackson square, encountered President Grant.

He was in a state of intoxication, his hat was shoved over his eyes, he had a lighted cigar in his mouth, and he was staggering along, muttering to himself.

The names of all these parties are at command.

Another Washington resident, of unimpeachable veracity, has also informed me, within the last ten days, that there is good evidence for stating that the real reason why President Grant made such a hurried exit from the capital for Long Branch, when so much important public business demanded his attention, and when several Senators and representatives were so bitterly disappointed at not meeting him, according to appointments he himself had made, was this: that he was so much under the influence of liquor that he was not fit for interviews in the Executive Mansion.

Names of responsible parties are at hand who will substantiate this statement.

A scholar of established reputation and high moral character writes within a short time past, to one of the most distinguished men of the country on this subject of the drinking habits of President Grant. The letter is dated at Cambridge, Mass., and I have been permitted to copy from it the facts that are well known to many, to-wit: that the last appearance of President Grant in connection with the exercises of Harvard University, was such as to excite a general feeling of anxiety and disgust among all who witnessed it. He was carefully observed by those immediately around him, and the aspects of his inebriety cannot be mistaken.

An old resident of the city of Baltimore, Md., only a few weeks ago, accompanied a party of friends to the President Mansion, where, on being admitted to an audience with President Grant, they found him to be so much under the influence of liquor that they immediately closed the interview and withdrew.

An officer in the Civil Service, now a permanent inhabitant of Washington, states that during one of his visits on a steamer from New York to the East, President Grant was known by several parties to be exalted by strong drink to a disgusting extent.

Should any of these facts be denied by responsible parties the proof will be produced. I make these statements with sincere regret.

I am accountable to my God for the truth of every word.

I remain, dear sir, your obedient servant,

CHARLES WHEELER DENISON,

Editor and proprietor of the *National Harbinger*, Washington, D. C.

J. T. Yarrington, Esq., Carbondale, Pa.

OFFICE OF HON. JAMES BLACK, LANCASTER, Pa., Aug. 4, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: I have the pleasure to acknowledge your several recent letters, forwarded to me from Washington, for which favors be pleased to accept my thanks.

The statements of facts I submitted, at your request, proving "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth," with regard to the drinking habits of President Grant, were placed entirely at your disposal.

If, therefore, you think their publication will do good at the present time, you are at liberty to publish them. Yours truly,

CHARLES WHEELER DENISON.

In a Bad Situation.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: Who shall I call to my aid? I think I want Mr. Bergh, Dr. Raush, the Fire Commissioners, the police, and a few chickenisters: there are some others wanted also, and I rise to explain. Nearly everybody writes to the papers, and why should not I let my woes be known?

In the first place, I want Mr. Bergh to protect me, and he ought to do so, for I am a donkey to reside near the corner of Van Buren street and Seeley avenue. Having admitted this fact, there is no one in any of my neighbors calling me other names.

In this pretty locality, we have a miniature sluice, and a compound of smells, among the most prominent of which is that arising from decayed vegetables from the greengrocer, who throws into the street such trash as his customers won't purchase.

A water-pipe has been broken for a month or two, and the accepted swine runs over a few lots, creating miasma and a mosquito-breeding pond.

There are two butcher-shops near by, and their garbage is thrown in the street. One of them occasionally trips over his accumulation of grease, and although this may be profitable to him, I find it unpleasant.

No one recollects having seen a scavenger wagon in this part of the world; but two policemen live close by. This has not prevented the erection of wooden buildings, or wooden additions to buildings, within the last month or two, on ground which is within the fire limits. I do not suppose that those who have put up those buildings have any authority for breaking the law, and yet the two policemen who live near must have passed each day without apparently noticing the infraction of it.

A good crowds boys occasionally spend a Sunday evening at the corner, making use of the most abominably obscene language, and annoying all decent people; yet no policeman is to be seen.

Thus you will observe that I want Dr. Rauch the Fire Commissioners and the police to do their duty. This is the outcry all over the city, and is nothing new; but the chicken-sters are required for duty in their own sphere. Nearly everybody to this blessed spot keeps chickens. O'e old couple, requiring all their own premises for a garden, have wheeled a beautiful supply of manure to the sidewalk, and put their chickens-coops there; while others leave their fowls to roam where they please. I think there are five hundred and seventy-three to sters living in the block. At 1130 p. m., when the unsophisticated have had their supper, the roosters begin to think it is day-light, and they keep on swearing that such is the case until 7 a. m. Now, most of these crowing liars roost on fences, and I wish you would inform all lovers of chicken-meat of the fact, for, if it were generally known, I believe this crowing nuisance would be abated; but I am sorry to add that the others are likely to flourish. H.

INDIANA.

Appointments of Liberal Speakers.

The people of the State of Indiana, irrespective of party, are requested to meet at the following named appointments to listen to discussions of the live issues of the day:

HON. THOMAS A. HENDRICKS, candidate for Governor, will address the people at the following places:

Kokomo, Friday, Aug. 23, 1 p. m.
Jamestown, Boone County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Jeffersonville, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night.
New Albany, Thursday, Aug. 29, night.
Corydon, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Harrison, Crawford County, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.
Longcotee, Martin County, Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1 p. m.
Washington, Daviess County, Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1 p. m.
Worthington, Greene County, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1 p. m.

HON. JAMES C. ROBINSON, Member of Congress from the State of Illinois, will address the people as follows:

Logansport, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Fort Wayne, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night.
Waterloo City, DeKalb County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Columbia City, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Plymouth Saturday Aug 31, 1 p. m.
Terre Haute, Monday, Sept. 2, 1 p. m.
Franklin Tuesday Sept 3, 1 p. m.
Brownstown, Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1 p. m.
Salem, Scott County, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1 p. m.
Charleston, Clark County, Friday, Sept. 6, 1 p. m.
Covington, Fountain County, Saturday, Sept. 7, 1 p. m.

GENERAL WILLIAM HARROW AND JUDGE W. F. PARRETT will address the people as follows:

———, Perry County, Friday, Aug. 23.
———, Perry County, Saturday, Aug. 24.
Lanesville, Warrick County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Winslow, Pike County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Petersburg, Pike County, Thursday, Aug. 29, night.
———, Pike County, Friday, Aug. 30.
Washington, Daviess County, Saturday, Aug. 31, night.

The Central Committees of Perry and Pike Counties will designate the places left blank in their different counties, and the time of speaking.

HON M. C. KERR, Democratic candidate for Congressman-at-Large, will address the people at the following places:

Tuesday Friday, Aug 23 3 p. m.
Princeton, Gibson County, Saturday, Aug 24.

HON. B. W. HANNA, Democratic candidate for Attorney General, will address the people at the following places:

Hardinsburg, Washington County, Friday, Aug. 23, 1 p. m.
Bedford, Crawford County, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m.
Jasper, Dubois County, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Winslow, Pike County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Petersburg, Pike County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Princeton, Gibson County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Evansville, Friday, Aug. 30, night.
Mount Vernon, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.

HON. JOHN B. STOLL, Democratic candidate for Auditor of State, will address the people as follows:

Rockport, Spencer County, Friday, Aug. 23, 1 p. m., in German.
Seymour, Jackson County, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m., in German.
Columbus, Bartholomew County, Saturday, Aug. 24, night, in German.
Crawfordsville, Montgomery County, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Waterloo, DeKalb County, Monday, Aug. 26, at night.
Goshen, Elkhart County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
South Bend, St. Joseph County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, at 7 p. m.
Logansport, Cass County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Peru, Miami County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, at night.
Wabash, Wabash County, Saturday, Aug. 31, at 1 p. m.
Huntington, Huntington County, Monday, Aug. 26, at 1 p. m.
Bluffton, Wells County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, at 1 p. m.
Decatur, Adams County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Fort Wayne, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night.
Waterloo City, DeKalb County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Kendallville, Noble County, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Goshen, Elkhart County, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.
Mishawaka, St. Joseph County, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Logansport, Cass County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, at 1 p. m.
Lagrange, Lagrange County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Angola, Steuben County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Portland, Jay County, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Winchester, Randolph County, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.

COLONEL JOHN S. WILLIAMS, Democratic candidate for Congressman for State at Large, will address the people of Tippecanoe County, at the following times and places, to-wit:

Monticello, Friday, Aug. 23 at night.
Rossville, Clinton County, Saturday, Aug. 24, at 2 p. m.

HON. C. F. M'NUTT, candidate for Congress, will speak:

Newburgh, Friday, Aug. 16, 2 o'clock p. m.
In Posey County as follows:
Fillmore, Friday, Aug. 23, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.
Cloverdale, 8 Tuesday, Aug. 24, 1 o'clock p. m.
Saint Peter, Saturday, Aug. 24, at night.
New Maysville, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 o'clock p. m.
Russellville, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 o'clock p. m.
Clinton Township, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 o'clock p. m.
Mount Meridian, Thursday, Aug 29, 1 o'clock p. m.

HON. JOHN R. CRAVENS, Democratic Liberal candidate for Lieutenant Governor, will address the people as follows:

Logootee, Martin County, Tuesday, Aug 27, 1 p. m.
Washington, Daviess County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
New Harmony, Posey County, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Petersburg, Vanderburg County, Saturday, Aug. 31, night.
Boonville, Warrick County, Monday, Sept. 2, 2 p. m.
Rockport, Spencer County, Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1 p. m.
Cannelton, Perry County, Wednesday, Sept 4, 1 p. m.
Leavenworth, Crawford County, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1 p. m.
Mauckport, Harrison County, Friday, Sept. 6, 1 p. m.

COLONEL JAMES GAVIN, Elector at Large, will address the people as follows:

Moscow, Rush County, Friday, Aug. 23, night, with Mahr Robbins.
Monticello, White County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Winamac, Pulaski County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Knox, Stark County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Xenia, Miami County, (for the counties of Miami, Wabash, Grant and Howard,) Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.

JUDGE C. E. CORY, of Franklin County, will address the people as follows:

Petersburg, Pike County, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m.
Corydon, Harrison County, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m.
Charleston, Clarke County, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Lexington, Scott County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Clifford, Bartholomew County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.

HON. A. D. LEMON, contingent Elector for the State-at large, will address the people as follows:

Romney, Tippecanoe County, Friday, Aug. 23, at night.
Brookstone, White County, Monday, Aug. 26, at night.
Monticello, White County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Francisville, Pulaski County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, at night.
Medaryville, Pulaski County, Tuesday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
San Pierre, Stark County, Thursday, Aug. 29, at night.
Lacrosse, Laporte County, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Wanatah, Laporte County, Friday, Aug. 30, at night.
Michigan City, Laporte County, Saturday, Aug. 31, 7 p. m.

E. V. LONG, ESQ., will address the people as follows:

Metamora, Franklin County, Friday, Aug. 23, night.
Brookville, Franklin County, Friday, Aug. 23, night.

HON. JOHN SARNIGHAUSEN, Democratic candidate for the State Senate for the counties of Allen and Adams, will address the people in the German language, as follows:

Laporte, Friday, Aug. 23.
South Bend, Saturday, Aug. 24.
Mishawaka, St. Joseph County, Monday, Aug. 26.
Goshen, Elkhart County, Tuesday, Aug. 27.
Kendallville, Noble County, Wednesday, Aug. 28.
Columbia City, Friday, Aug. 30.

HON. D. S. GOODING, Democratic candidate for Congress in the Fourth District, will address the people as follows:

Brookville, Friday, Aug 23, at 1 p. m., joint appointment.

Connersville, Saturday, Aug. 24, at 1 p. m., joint appointment.

JOINT APPOINTMENTS.

Colonel C. J. McNutt and John Coburn, candidates for Congress, will hold joint discussions at the following times and places:

Franklin, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m.
Shelbyville, Monday, Aug. 26, night.
Rushville, Tuesday, Aug. 27, night.
Greensburg, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night.
Brookville, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1 p. m.
Connersville, Friday, Sept. 6, night.
Indianapolis, Saturday, Sept. 7, at night.
Greenfield Saturday, Sept 7, 1 p. m.
Danville, Saturday, Sept. 14, 1 p. m.
Martinsville Saturday, Sept. 21 1 p. m.

HON JOHN C ROBINSON.

Democratic candidate for Reporter of the Supreme Court, will address the people as follows:

Kirkland, Newton County, Friday, Aug. 23, 1 p. m.
Rensselaer, Jasper County, Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 p. m.
Crown Point, Lake County, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Valparaiso, Porter County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Bourbon, Marshall County (for the counties of Marshall and Kosciusko), Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
Somerset, Wabash County (for the counties of Wabash, Grant, Miami, and Howard), Thursday, Aug. 29, 1 p. m.
Marion, Grant County, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.

HON. JOHN R. COFFIN, candidate for Elector-at-Large, will address the people as follows:

Burlington, Madison County, Tuesday, Sept. 3.

HON. JAMES B. RYAN, Democratic candidate for Treasurer of State, will speak as follows:

Greenfield, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night, with Hon. D. W. Voorhees.

HON. D. W. VOORHEES, will address the people at the following places:

Shelbyville, Monday, Aug. 26, 1 p. m.
Greenfield, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Centerville, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 7 p. m.
Connersville, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.

J. W. EVANS AND F. M. TRISSALL, ESQS., will address the people as follows:

Rushville, Aug. 26 Monday
Winchester, Aug. 27 Tuesday
Hartford City, Aug. 28, Wednesday,
Marion, Aug. 29 Thursday,
Bunker Hill, Miami County, Aug. 30, Friday.

HON. S. W. MOULTON, Republican ex-member of Congress from Illinois, for the State-at-large, will address the people as follows:

Greencastle Tuesday, Sept 3 1 p. m.
Knightstown, Henry County, Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1 p. m.
Centerville, Wayne County, Thursday, Sept. 5, 1 p. m.
Liberty, Union County, Friday, Sept. 6, 1 p. m.
Rushville, Rush County, Saturday, Sept. 7, 1 p. m.
Shelbyville, Shelby County, Monday, Sept. 9 1 p. m.
Greensburg, Decatur County, Tuesday, Sept 10, 1 p. m.
Aurora, Dearborn County, Wednesday, Sept. 11, 1 p. m.
Versailles, Ripley County, Thursday, Sept. 12 1 p. m.
Madison, Jefferson County, Friday, Sept. 13, 1 p. m.

GOV. GUSTAVUS KOERNER, Liberal candidate for Governor of Illinois, will address his German countryman in their native tongue at the following places:

Evansville Tuesday, Sept 10, night
Indianapolis, Wednesday, Sept. 11, night.
Fort Wayne Thursday, Sept. 12 night.
Penn Friday, Sept. 13 night.
Lafayette Saturday, Sept. 21 night.

GOV. JOHN M PALMER, of Illinois, will address the people as follows:

Crawfordsville, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1 p. m.
Connersville, Wednesday, Aug. 28, 1 p. m.
North Vernon, Thursday, Aug. 29 1 p. m.
Mitchell, Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Martinsville, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.

REV. J. C. STOUGHTON, a liberal Republican and a Methodist clergyman, of Illinois, and one of the finest speakers in that State will address the people as follows:

Crown Point, Monday Aug. 26, 1 p. m., with Hon. J. C. Robinson.
Valparaiso, Tuesday, Aug. 27, with Mr. Robinson.
Bourbon, Marshall County, Wednesday, Aug. 28 with Mr. Robinson.
Somerset, Wabash County, Thursday, Aug. 29, with Mr. C. Ingersoll.
Noblesville Friday, Aug. 30, 1 p. m.
Lebanon, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p. m.

GENERAL MILO S. HASKELL, candidate for Elector, Tenth Congressional District, will speak as follows:

Lagrange, Lagrange County, Aug. 23.
Ligonier, Noble County, Aug. 24.
Angola, Steuben County, Aug. 27.
Orland, Steuben County, Aug. 28
Waterloo City, DeKalb County, Aug. 29.
All evening meetings.

C. N. POLLARD, ESQ., of Kokomo, Howard County, will address the people as follows:

Attica, Fountain County, Tuesday, Aug. 27, night.
Hillsboro, Fountain County, Wednesday, Aug. 28, night.
Jacksonville, Fountain County, Thursday, Aug. 29, 2 p. m.
Harveysburg, Fountain County, Thursday, Aug. 29, night
Chambersburg, Fountain County, Friday, Aug. 30, 2 p. m.
Covington, Fountain County, Saturday, Aug. 31, night.
Perrysville, Vermillion County, Monday, Sept. 2, 2 p. m.
Clinton, Vermillion County, Tuesday, Sept. 3, night.
Newport, Vermillion County, Tuesday, Sept. 3, night.
Montezuma, Park County, Wednesday, Sept. 4, 2 p. m.
Clinton, Vermillion County, Thursday, Sept. 5 2 p. m.
Rosedale, Park County, Friday, Sept. 6, 2 p. m.
Rockville, Park County, Friday, Sept. 6, night.

THE SICK BAGGAGEMAN.

A Touching Story of a Baggageman's Illness and Recovery—Faithful Friends.

From the St. Louis Democrat.

The affection entertained by railroad men for each other is well known, and on many of the lines here, when pain and sickness attack a fellow hone are so prompt and so generous to assist him, and hands accustomed to hold the grinding brake wheel and the coupling-pin, and evidently become soft as the fingers of a woman in works of charity toward the helpless. A most touching instance of this nature it is the office of the reporter for the *Democrat* to chronicle to-day.

From the windows of the *Democrat* office all along Fourth street may be seen numerous railroad offices, before which frequently draw up huge transfer buses, from each of which pours, like Noah's family out of an ark on wheels, a long file of men in dusters, and a queen with hoops and pantalets and ankles. Express wagons, too, abound, from each of which is hurled, with a crash like thunder, an avalanche of trunks. Yesterday, about 5 o'clock, a bus from the depot had ceased, and a slight breeze played along the street, a small express wagon, containing three men, drove up at a slow pace. One who got down and helped assist up the other two, had, it was evident from his pallor, only

RECENTLY RECOVERED FROM ILLNESS; his companions were in perfect health. All three, it was clear, from their beards and the cut of their clothes, were railroad men. The express wagon stopped and the men got out, the sick one with great difficulty. His companions stood by him, watching him with an infinite solicitude.

"Well, Doc, old fellow," said one, "you'll be all right in a day or two; won't you? Feel better now? Looks like old times, don't it? Hear Billy rattle them checks? O, it's big, it is, you old son of a thief."

"Well, Ed.," replied the sick man wearily, "it does seem good, after being ill and for two months, to see the boys hustle them old trunks rouns lively; but I'll never be the man I was before the rheumatics took me. I'll never sling a trunk again, Ed."

"Yes, you will too," replied his comrade, cheerfully. "Before the next change in the time-tables you'll be wrestling 'em out of the baggage car. The doctor said so, and he ought to know. Try now, Doc; he says it'll do you no end of good if you can only get up your sprits again. Can't you walk this little off-skin carpet-bag?" he scrutinized pleadingly.

No go, Ed," answered the invalid, with a touch of despondency in his voice, "the Doc ain't what he used to was, nohow."

"Well, but Doc," continued his friend, "s'pose we get an ax and start that little wife Mahr Robbins at the corners; couldn't you bust it? It might do you good."

Ere he could answer, a large express wagon drew up before a whole pyramid of mammoth

SARATOGA TRUNKS.

Two men leaped lightly from it, one with a lamp and a bundle of jingling checks; the other pulled down with a grasp a couple of portmanteaus. The sight and sound were to the sick expressman like the trumpet to a blind old war-horse. Forgetting his illness and weakness he rose, gained the heap of baggage at a bound, and seized a large Saratoga trunk, which three hall porters could hardly move. Poising it in the air, he hurled the huge mass through the air with a couple of herculean heaves. Seized with a perfect fury, he slung trunk after trunk upon the wagon; the pile melted like a platter of beefsteaks before an Indian chief; the atmosphere was perfectly black with carpet-sacks and not less than three portmanteaus were in the air at once. But the effect was too much for him, and as the last trunk was landed with such force that it burst asunder in mid-air, and gushed forth socks, collar boxes, shirts, petticoats, hair brushes, and things as if a bombshell had exploded in a bonnet shop, he fell fainting to the sidewalk. There

SPRINKLED HIM WITH WATER, forced whiskey down his throat, and did all that lay in human power to bring him to, but vainly. At last, when every expedient had failed, one slammed a trunk down at his ear and bellowed, "Denver!" The fainting man awoke, shouted, "Show me your ticket," and was borne away by his faithful friends who shed tears of joy at his recovery.

Extraordinary Suicide.

From the Waukegan (Ill.) Gazette, Aug. 17.

Many of our readers have been acquainted with a young man named Henry Stickney, who had for some years past been a resident of this county, and a part of the time of this city. This unfortunate young man has, at intervals since 1867, shown symptoms of insanity, but until recently has been in a condition to care for himself, and hopes have been entertained of his ultimate recovery. During the absence of Mr. Searle at the West, last summer, Mr. Stickney took charge of that gentleman's stock, to his entire satisfaction as we understand. A few months since, acting under the advice of friends who hoped that a change of scene would be of advantage to him, he was induced to take a trip to Kansas. But the desired effect was not produced, and his friends thought his speedy return advisable, and accordingly one of their number started to accompany him back to this place. In proceeding far, and while the train was with they had taken passage upon, Stickney made a rush for the platform of the car, with the evident intention of jumping from the car. The train was at the time running rapidly on side-swipe ride, and but proceeded a considerable distance before it could be stopped. On returning to the spot where the supposed fatal leap had taken place, no trace of the man could be found, but after a brief search his lifeless remains were discovered lying face downward in a shallow creek where he had deliberately plunged himself after failing to be killed by his reckless leap from the train. All efforts to resuscitate him were unavailing, and his remains were interred at Zion City.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Foreign Markets.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23—11 a. m.—Flour, 25s@29s 6d. Wheat—Winter, 10s; spring, 10s 4d@10s 8d; white, 11s 10d. Corn, 34s 6d.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23—2:30 p. m.—Market unchanged.

LONDON, Aug. 23—Bullion in the Bank of England decreased £8,000. Consols—Money and account, 93¼. Five-twenties, 92¾. Illinois Central, 84. Erie, 20¾.

FRANKFORT, Aug. 23—Bonds of '82, 90¾. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 23—Cotton firm; middling uplands, 15¼d; Orleans, 15¼. Sales 12,000 bales, speculation and export 2,000. Breadstuffs—Red winter, 9s 3d. Flour, 25s@29s 6d. Corn, 34s. Peas, 32s. Cumberland middles, 32s; short ribs, 36s 6d.

Boston Markets.

BOSTON, Aug. 23—Noon—More active and higher; middling uplands, 23c.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour firm; receipts, 12,000 bbls; unsettled. Western and State, $5.60@6.10; common to good extra, $6.40@6.75; good to choice, $6.80@7.60; white wheat extra, $7.25@7.75; St. Louis, $7.10@10.25. Rye flour and corn meal unchanged. Wheat in moderate demand and higher; receipts, 15,000 bus; Northwestern prices ruling. Red winter, choice, 1 @1 44. No 2 hard winter red Western, $1.45@1.50; common white Western, $1.50; prime new white Michigan, $1.52. Rye nominal. Corn firm; receipts, 17,000 bus; sales, 4,000 bus, at $1.03@1.04 for No 2 mixed Western; $1.04@1.05 for No 2 yellow Western; $1.06@1.07 for No 2 yellow Southern; $1.07@1.08 for No 1 yellow Southern; $1.08@1.09 for No 1 yellow Western. Oats firm; receipts, 17,000 bus; sales, 4,000 bus, at 56@57c for No 2 Chicago; 58@59c for No 2 Milwaukee; 60@61c for No 2 white Western; 61@62c for No 1 white Western. Barley steady; No 2 Canada, $1.20@1.25; No 1 Canada, $1.30@1.35; No 2 Milwaukee, $1.25@1.30; No 1 Milwaukee, $1.35@1.40; No 1 Michigan, $1.40@1.45; No 1 Wisconsin, $1.45@1.50; common white Western, $1.50; prime new white Canada, $1.55@1.60. Rye steady; small sales at $1.10@1.15 for No 2 Western. Oats steady; No 2 Chicago, 56@57c; No 2 Milwaukee, 58@59c; No 1 white Western, 60@61c; No 1 white Canada, 61@62c; white Western, 62@63c; Ohio, 45@50c. Barley steady; No 2 Canada, $1.20@1.25; No 1 Canada, $1.30@1.35; No 2 Milwaukee, $1.25@1.30; No 1 Milwaukee, $1.35@1.40; No 1 Michigan, $1.40@1.45; No 1 Wisconsin, $1.45@1.50; common white Western, $1.50; prime new white Canada, $1.55@1.60. Rye steady; small sales at $1.10@1.15 for No 2 Western. Corn dull; receipts, 17,000 bus; sales, 4,000 bus, at 56@57c for No 2 Chicago; 58@59c for No 2 Milwaukee; 60@61c for No 1 white Western; 61@62c for No 1 white Canada; 62@63c for white Western; 45@50c for Ohio

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONETARY.

THURSDAY EVENING, Aug. 22.

The local money market continues active, the most surprising theory about it being the sudden drain upon bank funds, where all was a stagnant pothora scarcely more than a week ago. The large demand is chiefly from the country, where money is still wanted to move the crops. The collapse of the corner in wheat has caused a slight reduction in this demand, but the movement is that direction is much larger than was expected. The farmer and the country grain buyer evidently want to send in their grain, and obtain for it the best price they can. The demand for money on the part of local operators is also on the increase. Grain-shippers want accommodation, which is all the more freely rendered, as prices are now down to a point where the banker can make advances with a reasonable prospect of obtaining his capital without ruin to the venture. The usual run of mercantile borrowers are also applicants for loans to a fair extent.

The movement of currency to the country is estimated to have exceeded $3,000,000 for the last ten days. This is simply enormous, and shows better than any other one thing could show, the magnitude of the preparations that were being made to fill up the corner on wheat. It must have been a huge corner indeed that would not have been filled up to overflowing before Sept. 1st.

The unexpectedly large demand for money has indirectly very large orders on New York for currency; but it has also resulted in a very natural weakening in Eastern exchange in this market. It can be shipped either for about 50c per $1,000 buthrather than wait the three days required to send it here, they have preferred to sell New York exchange, to-day, at $1 00@1 25 per $1,000 discount. Counter sales were quoted at par, and purchases at $1 50 per $1,000.

STOCK, BOND AND STOCK MARKET.

Messrs. Lunt, Preston & Kean quote as follows this afternoon:

	Buying.	Selling.
United States 6's of '81—coupon	114½	115
United States 6's of '81—registered	114	115
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United States 6's of '81—coupon	114	115
United States 6's of '81—registered	114	115
United States 6's of '81—coupon	114	115
United States 5's (new issue)	112½	113
United States Currency 6's	122	ex int 123
Northern Pacific gold 7-30s	100 & int.	101 & int.
Chicago City 7's	100 & int.	101 & int.
Cook County 7's	100 & int.	101 & int.
Illinois Central & Township 10s	93@98	
Eastern exchange	1 to par.	3-16 prem
Sterling exchange (sight drafts)	9	9½
Gold and gold coupons	113½	114½
Gold and gold coupons	113½	7 per cent.
Money on government and gold	7 per cent.	
Silver	108@110	
Silver dimes		
Silver half dimes		
Three cent bills	107	108
Five cent bills	107	108
Seven cent bills	107	108
Ten cent bills	107	108
Agricultural College land-scrip	170@180	

Gold coupons worth ½ more than gold.

The import entries in New York, embracing foreign dry goods and general merchandise, for the week ending prior to Aug. 20, amount to $7,166,665, for the corresponding week last year, the exports of domestic produce, other than gold and silver, were $4,976,118, against $3,969 936 same week in 1871. The exports of gold and silver, $583,185, against $667,340 same week in 1871. The customs in gold paid into the New York office of the United States Treasury for the week were $3 322 599.

The gold values of the import entries of foreign merchandise, at New York, exclusive of foreign specie, since January 1, 1871, are as follows, the figures being official to July 31 and since semi-official from the Custom House:

	1872.	1871.	1872.	1871.
January	$58 637 174	July 19	$ 6,552,409	
February	58 038 443	July 20	7 241 202	
March	58,227 030	July 21	5 546 841	
April	47,296 275	July 22	5 245 814	
May	42 483 17	August 10	9,380 668	
June	38 649 926	August 17	10,139 109	
July 1	6,000 000			
Total since Jan. 1			$287,246 638	
Same time last year			248,264,815	
Increase since last year			$38,981,823	

The currency value of exports of domestic produce and miscellaneous goods, including foreign goods re-exported from New York, since January 1, is as follows:

January	$8,681,014	July 17	4,961,813
February	17,918 469	July 17	4,993 437
March	18 526,019	July 24	4 274,943
April	17,705 [illegible]	July 31	4,402,352
May	16 990,947	August 7	5,279 242
June	20,691 482	August 14	4 976,118
July 1	5,172 907		
Total since Jan. 1			$180 540,923
Same time last year			148 080,262
Decrease since Jan. 1			$ 7,540,427
Gold, August 12	1872		116 per cent.
Gold, August 22	1872		113½ per cent

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Money decidedly firmer, specially to-day; towards the close there was a scramble to get it with rates ranging from 6 per cent. for call loans, closing heavy and lower, with actual business at 5@6. Gold lower, touched 114 and closed at 113½@113¾. Loans on call—gold 5@6; currency 5@6. Specie not in demand for carrying. Clearings, $85,000,000. Treasury disbursements, $1,250,000. Government securities firmer. Sixes of 1881, 114@114½. Governments dull and firmer. Sixes of 1881 at 114½. Fives of 1874 at 109½. Interest opened at 6%, fell to 5@6, rallied to 6@7, and closed at 5@6. Sterling exchange very large at various fluctuations. The continued movement in time is attributed to the new appointments of Messrs. Boutwell, Roman & McCleary, and others. Francs strong; reported to be the balance of the market operated from, 1 to 1. At the close the market was dull.

Sterling, 109½.

GOVERNMENTS.			
Coupon, '81	117	Coupon, '67	114½
Coupon, '62	113½	Coupon, '68	114½
Coupon, '64	113½	Coupon, '65	113
Coupon, '65	113½	Currency 6's	122
Coupon, '65 (new)	113½	New 5's	112½
STATE BONDS.			
Missouris	93	Virginias	45
New Tennessees	73½	Old N Carolinas	33½
New Tennessees	73½	New N. Carolinas	20
New Virginias	63½		
STOCKS.			
Quotations	90	St. P. pref'd's	75½
W. U. Tel	78½	Wabash	39
Quicksilver	40½	Wabash preferred	80
Mariposa	16	Fort, Wayne	96
Wells, F. Ex	50	Ill. Central	96
Am. M. U. Ex	71	Terre Haute pref'd	42
C. & A.	86½	C. & A. (ex div)	111
C. & R. I.	107½	C. & A. preferred	111½
N. Y. Central	97½	C. & M.	43½
Erie	20½	C. & C.	30
Erie preferred	45½	C. & N. W.	84½
Hudson	118½	Lake Shore	89½
Harlem preferred	130	Indiana Central	34½
Reading	101½	Union Pacific Central	30
Pittsburgh	90	Union Pacific stocks	38½
Northwestern	78½	Union Pacific bonds	85
Northwestern preferred	90	Pacific Mail	31½
Rock Island	106½	Del., Lack & West'n	108
St. Paul	68½	S. H. & Erie	7½

REAL ESTATE.

Instruments Filed for Record Thursday, Aug. 22.

CITY PROPERTY.

Lot 44, in Block 1 of Block 19, of se ¼ sec 21, 39, 14; dated Aug. 13; consideration, $480.

Hutchinson, Wm. Engel et. al, of 22x126 ft, dated July 18; consideration, $1,000.

North Dearborn st, n of Goethe st, e f, 24½x158½ ft, dated Aug. 15; consideration, $5,625.

Lot 13, with building, in Starr's n s s Block 5, of w ½ sec 5, 39, 14; dated Aug. 19; consideration, $2,800.

Lot 44, in Block 2, in Walker and Weston's Block 4, of n e ¼ sec 31, 39, 14, dated July 2; consideration, $2,000.

Lot 18, in Lewis' Block 56, in School Section Addition, dated Aug. 1; consideration, $2,350.

Lot 12 in Block 13 of n e ¼ Sec 20, 39, 14, dated Aug. 1; consideration, $1,200.

Lot 21 in Block 2 in Lounsle st, s f, 24 ft to alley, dated Aug. 1; consideration, $2 500.

Same premises No. 21 Ashland av, dated March 1, 1872; consideration, $2,000.

Butterfield st, bet Thirty-second and Thirty-third, w f, 58 ft to alley, dated Aug. 17; consideration, $1,800.

Lot 133, in Block 139, in School Section Addition, dated Aug 1; consideration, $20,000.

Lot 21 in South of Catherine st, e f, 24x127 feet, dated Aug. 8; consideration, $700.

Lot in Madison st, 109 ft west of Sheldon st, s f, 21 ft to alley, dated Dec. 11, 1871; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1, in Block 1 of Block 19, of s e ¼ Sec 31, 39, 14, dated Aug 13; consideration, $375

Blackstone's Road, east of Wright st, s f, 24 ft to alley, dated Aug. 21; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 1, bet Leavitt and Hoyne sts, s f, 25 ft to alley, dated Aug. 21; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 14 to 17 in Lill and Butterfield's Add, dated Aug. 21; consideration, $375.

Lot 1, in Block 16, in Morton's s e ¼ of n w ¼ Sec 11, 39, 13, dated Aug. 20; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1 of ss 1 Sec 34, 39, 14, (3 10 acres), dated July 13; consideration, $7,000.

Lot 1 in Block 2, in Oakley st, s f, dated April 1; consideration, $5,000.

Lot 12, in Block 1, of s e ¼ Sec 31, 39, 14, dated Aug. 22; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1 in Block 5, of Harrison's Addition, dated Aug. 21; consideration, $1,350.

Lot 12, in Block 139, in School Section Addition, dated Aug 1; consideration, $20,000.

Lot 1, in Block 2, of Halsted st, s f, 33 ft to alley, dated Aug. 20; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1, with building, between Thirtieth and Thirty-first sts, s f, 24 ft to alley, dated June 14; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1, with building, between Lincoln and Robey sts, s f, 25 ft to alley, dated Aug. 19; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1 of McCully's Lots 2 and 3, in Block 2, of Addition, dated Aug. 15; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 1, with building, between Thirty-first st, s f, 25 ft to alley, dated Aug. 20; consideration, $1,000.

SOUTH OF CITY LIMITS.

Lot 1, in Block 4, of w ¼ n w ¼ Sec 14, 39, 14; dated Aug. 21; consideration, $1,050.

Eight-eighths of 4 and 4 west of Desplaines Block, dated Aug. 12; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 17 and 18 of Block 2, in Rosedale, dated Aug. 20; consideration, $1,250.

Lot 11 and 4 Lot 42, in Block 2, of same, dated Aug. 20; consideration, $1,850.

Lake Freights.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—The following engagements are reported: To Buffalo—Barley, Wood, Crawford, San Jacinto, and F. Corning, 30 cars; Schars Hemisphere and Swallow, wheat 10c; schr Lucy J. Clark, wheat at 10½; Barnard, S. K. Watson and Montauk, on p at 10c or wheat at 10c; schr Rainbow, yesterday, corn at 8½c. To Oswego—Scar S. T. Atwater, corn at 10c; schr E. B. Mott, wheat on p. To Kingston—Bay State, wheat at 14½c. To Detroit—Prop City of Toledo, corn, through rate. To Montreal—Prop Ocean, corn on p. t.

MILWAUKEE, Aug. 21.—Grain freights are unchanged, and rates remain nominal at 8½c for wheat to Buffalo, and 12½@14c to Oswego. The following charters are reported: Schr Havana, wheat to Kingston at 14½c; prop Canisteo, oats to Buffalo at through rate.

BUFFALO, Aug. 20.—Rates firm on a basis of 8½ per 100 bu coal to Chicago. Vessels scarce. The following is the only charter reported: Propeller Toledo, 1,500 brls salt at 20c per brl, for Milwaukee.

TOLEDO, Aug. 20.—Grain freights quiet and steady; to Oswego, 10½c on corn and wheat by sail; 12c on corn to Kingston by sail; to Buffalo, a shade lower at 9½c on corn and wheat.

DETROIT, Aug. 20.—There is an active demand for vessels, both for coarse and grain freights. At the Board yesterday 11½c was bid for vessels for wheat to Oswego.

COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY EVENING, Aug. 22.

The following were the receipts and shipments for the last twenty-four hours:

	Received.		Shipped.	
	1872.	1871.	1872.	1871.
Flour, brls	1 981	4,599	1 000	3,177
Wheat, bu	201,162	91,949	126,246	69 863
Corn, bu	288 344	160,788	109 185	339,287
Oats, bu	44,780	99 434	26,256	70,169
Rye, bu	5,471	1,000		
Barley, bu	5,58	22 875	2 49	8 951
Grass seed, lbs	84,000	183,100	4,800	175,720
Flaxseed, bu	269 000	220 000		
Broom corn, lbs	34,800	85,000	21,000	29 400
Cured meats, lbs	29,400		181,000	350,800
Beef, brls				99
Pork, brls	50		2,370	2,450
Lard, lbs	2 000	2,370		164,700
Tallow, lbs	10,370	2 800		33 736
Butter, lbs	47,000	67,350		90,000
Live hogs, No	14 429	9,698	6,620	4,961
Cattle, No	2 933	1,454	2,254	677
Sheep, No	1,179	642		1,463
Rides, No	186,784	84,000	68,368	51,663
High wines, brls	487	200	268	510
Wool, lbs	190,000	82,500	67,747	13,410
Coal, brls	1,100	1,000	1,000	
Lumber, m	4,700	1,991	1 900	2,499
Shingles, m	2,630	1,127	2 843	1,762
Salt, brls	1,000		1,000	1,000
Salt, brls	2,00	1,000	1,041	1,440

Withdrawn yesterday from store for city consumption: 2,758 un wheat; 240 bu corn; 6,000 bu oats; 240 bu rye; 700 bu barley.

The following grain has been inspected into store this morning up to 10 o'clock: 600 cars wheat; 806 cars corn; 87 cars oats; 16 cars rye; 13 cars barley. Total (1,522 cars), or 586 000 bu.

As we have stated in previous issues, the chief loss in the late wheat corner falls on the country, as distinguished from the city. The farmers, as a class, do not lose directly, though the higher price they are able to realize on a small portion of their produce during the short-lived excitement of a corner is dearly paid for afterwards, in the season of depression that is sure to follow the collapse. But the men who suffer most are those who buy from the farmers, at the country stations, and make it up into car loads to ship to the city. These men had bought large quantities of wheat, which they had sold in Chicago to arrive, at a price which would have paid them only a fair profit on the transaction had it been consummated. The breaking of the corner has entailed on these men a loss of 30@40c per bu, and swept away in a moment from hundreds of these men the accumulations of years of patient trading, during which many of them had never made what is usually understood as a speculative trade, though they were often short sellers. They sold short (to arrive), but the grain thus sold was already theirs, either by actual purchase or by profits, and they only acted the part of prudent men in selling at the time on parcels now and thus avoiding the risk of a fall in prices before the grain could be placed in the elevator bins of this city.

In this only the great trouble is, that the operation of a corner, whether successful or not, while it may cause a flurry of activity in the movement of produce, is really a serious hindrance to legitimate business. It has been said that there is scarcely a mule on the Board who was not interested more or less in the wheat corner of this month. It is true, if we speak of general interest; but the truth is, by the statement it is intended to convey the impression that nearly every one had money at stake. On the contrary, there are scores of operators who had refused absolutely to either buy or sell wheat, except on commission during this season. They looked upon the market as an artificial one, and likely to be swayed up or down at any moment more than the 10 per cent of margin which their words or checks were wished to deposit as security. Of course, there was danger to them in such a move, either way, and they did not care to stand in the gap. Hence, they stood idle, watching the progress of events, and waiting for the flood to pass by. In some cases these gentlemen have lost clients by their conservatism, the parties applying to them having employed other commission men to take risks in the corner. The legitimate business of the Board of Trade has really been injured to a great extent in this and kindred ways, by every corner that has been run in this city, including the pork corner now in progress.

We admit that all these considerations are not very strong arguments, per se, in favor against that inherent selfishness that leads so many men to try to take advantage of their fellows, without regard to the suffering that may ensue. But, when it is remembered that the earth collides with a comet about as often as a corner nets a profit to the men who engineer it, one would think that a man of ordinary business knowledge would be ashamed while he was attempting a corner in produce. Those who touch corners are almost invariably losers. B. P. Hutchinson, who was formerly a gigantic corner man, lost three times over that he would have nothing more to do with them, as they are too risky, and he has kept his word. D. C. Scranton, who has been equally beaten in the recent corner, should only trading back and forth in his usual way, has similarly avoided trading during a corner in the past; and only acted in this case against his better judgment because he could not believe it possible that J. B. Lyon should fail. The testimony of these two men, among the oldest and wisest of our operators on Change, backed as it is by the experience of very many of our most solid operators, ought to be an overwhelming argument against the policy of attempting corners in produce, even if there should be no legislation to prevent the suicidal course. The man who attempts it is little better off than the Malay who runs a muck through the streets,—he may kill off several people in his mad career, but infallibly meets his own quietus before long.

Some little excitement occurred on 'Change, to-day, owing to the rumor that John B. Lyon had refused to sign margin checks, so that the money deposited as margins on the corner could be paid over to the shorts to whom it was secured. It was asserted, then, that his reason for so doing was his wish that those moneys should go into the general fund from which should be paid the percentage to the parties who have lost by the failure of his firm. Of course such a plea, if it were made, would be perfectly absurd. We suppose there is no doubt that the Treasurer of the Board of Trade can sign those checks if John B. Lyon will not, as there is certainly no phase of the law, either common or uncommon, that would prevent those moneys from being paid over to the parties for whose security they were deposited.

The really awkward point in this discussion is the supposition that Lyon is seeking to evade the payment of all or a portion of his obligations. There is little doubt that he has retired from the wheat corner with a net profit of about $1,000,000, but then it is remembered that he lost nearly on the wheat corner of June last, and that he has also lost a great deal of money on his voluminous corn shipments of the present summer. It may be that the wheat corner was resorted to as a desperate game, in which it was "make or nothing." If this should prove to have been the case, then the absence will grow "small by degrees and beautifully less" every time that they are canvassed.

The most important point in the news of to-day is the fact that a circular is being signed by our bankers, and a large number of other leading business men, calling upon the grain warehousemen of this city to agree that they will deliver no more grain on orders to ship till the receipts therefor have been cancelled by the Grain Inspector. It is understood, that a few of the elevator firms have already signified their willingness to accede to this arrangement. This is a most important step towards establishing popular confidence in the validity of warehouse receipts. Such a thing as over issue of receipts is impossible now, though the fact has been sagiently charged by some of the Eastern papers. What is wanted is that the receipts shall be retired from the market at the time the grain is shipped out.

The name of D. J. Lake was given in our columns this morning as one who failed to respond. We understand that Mr. Lake simply refused to put up additional margins when called upon; otherwise he is all right, and conducting business as usual.

Underwood & Co. were paying in full to-day, and have ample means to continue business.

Mr. Baxter, of the recent firm of Webster & Baxter, is much annoyed by their name not being a member of the firm of Meyer, Baxter & Co., He sustained no loss by the corner.

THE MARKETS.

The leading grain markets were again moderately active to-day, but with a downward tendency, owing to considerable pressure to sell, both of fresh receipts, and on the part of speculative holders. The receipts continue large; and the shipments are relatively light, but the shipping movement is healthier than for a long time past. Grocers generally reported the market quiet, there being only a light local demand, while orders from the country trade were mostly confined to supplying current wants, and made a rather small aggregate. Prices underwent no quotable change, ruling steady and comparatively firm for most articles in the list. The exceptions were syrups and refined sugars, both of which were selling at a slight concession from the quotations. Some little improvement was noticeable in the demand for dry goods, but the market was generally inactive, and prices were unimproved. The butter and cheese markets were quiet and comparatively steady. Coal remains firm as previously quoted, or at $6 50 for Erie; $9 50 for Lackawanna, and at $10 00@11 00 for Lehigh. Fish were in better request, and prices were quoted firm for all descriptions except white fish and trout. Dried fruits met with a good demand at the quoted prices. Hay was unchanged. Hides and leather were fairly active and firm. In the market for lumber at the yards a large amount of trading was done, and for first and second clear flooring, wagon box boards, common selects, and fencing, prices were relatively higher. Dry lumber is very scarce, and dealers are not disposed to effect sales at present prices, from the fact that ruinous prices still continue to ship to Albany, Buffalo, and other Eastern points. To-day, rates of freight from Saginaw to Chicago were quoted at $5 75a 6 00 per 1,000 feet, with an up and tendency. Thus far this season the receipts of choice grades of lumber have been exceedingly limited, and the few cargoes that have reached our harbor were immediately placed on the yard docks, thus leaving the bulk of medium and coarse off-sings to be disposed of upon the open market. A sawed shingles on track were arriving slowly, and, under an improved inquiry, a much firmer position. Lath were also effecting sales at as high as $2.35 per 1,000 for A brands. No. 1 dull and nominal. Pine and cedar timbers were developed in the market, to-day, with fair receipts, but trade was active in each, and for the former was firm, quotations ruled a trifle firmer. Naval stores were less active, but steady, and the market for rosin was pulled active, with sales upon the basis of $5.00 rates—or $4 50 per brl for No. 2 and common, per 280 lbs, delivered, and $5 00 per brl for No. 1 and extra, per 280 lbs, delivered. Building materials continue in large demand at unchanged figures. Cooperage is quiet, with a fair demand, and the markets for beans, broom corn and potatoes continue quiet. Poultry was fairly active and steady. The movement in wool was light for several days back. As yet, there are few manufacturers in this market, but in view of the fact that the receipts are rushing, a steady, firm feeling prevails. Salt was active, and railroad freights were steady.

Highwines were rather more active, but declined 1 2c 3c in sympathy with a weakening in the corn market. Outer wore quoted at 90c per gal for 90 per cent proof, and as high as 91c. The market closed at 89 1-4c bid, and 89 1 2c asked.

Lake freights were active, and strong, owing to a greater competition on the part of shippers. The bids were quite liberal, and the lesser one in corn have brought out numerous orders from Eastern parties, and induced several local shippers to take hold who had been holding off, but by the one-man power that has controlled the shipping movement here so long. This brought out a more active competition for vessels, and enabled carriers to dictate terms, which they were not slow to do so long as the market was in the hands of one firm. An advance of 1 2c was effected early, and the market closed still firmer, in sympathy with higher rates from the interior. Rates to Buffalo were quoted quiet and easy. We repeat our list as follows: New York factory, 14½@15c; Ohio factory, 14@15c.

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Flour was very dull, but irregular. The demand was light, as shippers held off for a decline, while the stocks of local dealers are generally full. Some holders insisted on last week's prices, while others were willing to shade them on good spring extras; other grades were generally reported as unchanged. Sales were reported of 325 brls at $5 00@5 25 for extra spring; $5 50@6 00 (Magnolia) at $10.00; 50 brls spring extras (choice Minnesotas) at $7 87 1-2; 25 brls do at $6.75. Total, 450 brls. Also 10 tons bran at $13 00 c. i. f., and 10 tons middlings at $15.00 c. i. f.

Wheat was in very good demand, and active, but at an average decline of 1a3c per bu from yesterday. The market has gained more or less tone, long, and the volume of movement was active, as the recent decline offers a remunerative margin on shipments to the East. Hence a good many orders were received there, several of them from Canada, and buying of corn and grain was stimulated during a great part of the session. But there were yet several unsettled accounts, and holders of grain which they have advanced so decidedly, and all general parties connected with the corner were selling out "to protect themselves." This, and the fact that the receipts were again large, made offerings free, and the market for all property to be sold broke down prices, and made the market weak in the early part of the session. Yet the demand was so good as to absorb the bulk, and the market closed firmer, especially as New York was reported a shade firmer. It was really pleasant to note the greater number of buyers of wheat on the floor, for a long time past the buying has been nearly all made for, or with reference to, one firm, which was able to dictate prices in the absence of competition. To-day buyers and sellers met on something more of an average themselves as well as with each other. For the first time in many weeks there was a margin in favor of next month over cash, and the premium for September for carrying. Seller September opened at $1.12, declined to $1.10, and advanced to $1 13 1-2 at the close. Seller the month or cash sold at $1.10@1.12 3-4, closing at the outside. Seller the year sold at $1.09@1.12. No. 1 spring closed at $1.19; No. 3 spring at 97@1 02; and rejected sold at 83@1 02. Winter wheat little better than nominal at about the same prices as the corresponding grades of spring. Cash sales were reported of 5 000 bu No. 1 spring at $1 19; 1 200 bu do at $1 18; 1 000 bu do at $1 17; 1 000 bu do at $1 16; 1 500 bu do at $1 15; 1 600 bu do at $1 14; 15,000 bu, No. 2 do at $1.12 3-4; 10,000 bu do at $1 12 1-2; 3 000 bu do at $1 12 1-4; 20 500 bu do at $1.12; 10 000 bu do at $1 11 7-8; 10 000 bu do at $1.11 3-4; 21,400 at $1 11 1-2; 67,200 bu do at $1 11; 45,000 bu do at $1.10 3-4; 25 000 bu do at $1 10 1-2; 15 000 bu do at $1 10 1-4; 5 000 bu do at $1.10; 2,800 bu rejected at 85c; 1,200 bu do at 84c; 12,800 bu do at 83c; 400 bu No. 3 red winter at 97c. Total, 284 600 bu.

Corn was less active, and averaged nearly 1-4c lower, though receipts were somewhat in the decrease, and there was a good demand for shipments, but as was the case with wheat, there were some lots to be sold out that had been originally sold to other parties, and the advance in freights enabled the shipper to claim a reduction, on the ground that he could not afford to ship at greater cost than yesterday. Indeed, the trading seemed to be principally for shipment, the option department getting the second place, as they ought to, but do not often, do. Seller September opened at 39 3 4, declined to 39 1-4c, and closed at 39 3-4c cash; No. 2 cash at 37@38c. Selling at 38c, with a decided preference for receipts for corn in the Illinois Central and Armour, Dole & Co.'s Elevators. Seller the month was the best seller this nominal day, and prices: Regular was active, but easier, closing at 36c. Other grades were not wanted. Cash sales were reported of 1 000 bu No. 1 corn at 39½; 400 bu do at 39 1-4c; 800 bu do at 39c; 63 000 bu do at 38c; 6 200 bu do at 37 7 8c; 114 000 bu do at 37 3-4c; 32 000 bu do at 37 1 2c; 17 500 bu rejected at 36c; 2,000 bu do at 35 3 4c; 6,400 bu do at 35 1 2c; 400 bu no grade at 32c. Total, 277 700 bu.

Oats were dull and steady, at a decline of about 1 2c per bu, there being but few operators in attendance, and apparently no buyers, except for the city trade. The receipts were liberal, and operators are inclined to expect larger receipts, now that the wheat question is practically out of the way. Seller the month of cash opened at 27c, and closed at 26 3 4c. Seller September was dull at 35 7-8@36c. Cash sales were reported of 600 bu No. 1 oats at 29c; 9,600 bu No. 2 do at 27c; 27 800 bu do at 26 3 4c; 1,200 bu rejected at 26 1 2c; 11,400 bu do at 26c; 2,400 bu do 12. 1 at 25 3 4c; 600 bu in bags, mixed, at 33c, o. t. Total, 53 600 bu.

Rye was dull, but steady on No. 2, and easier on rejected. Seller September was nominal at 55c. Cash sales were reported of 2,800 bu No. 2 at 54c; and 1,600 bu rejected at 46c.

Barley was in good demand, and firm on No. 2, but easier on No. 3. Seller September was fairly active at 64a. Cash No. 2 was in request at 66c all through the session, but no one willing to give more than a No. 3 olosed at 48c. Cash sales were reported of 1 600 bu new No. 2 at 56c; 400 bu No. 3 at 50c; 400 bu do at 49c; 1,200 bu rejected at 52c; 400 bu by sample at 67c; 800 bu do at 62c. Total, 4,800 bu.

LATER.

In the afternoon there was very little business done, and prices were steady. The following are the sales for the day: 5,000 bu Seller September, at $1.13; 10,000 bu do seller September at $1 13 3 4; 15 000 bu do at $1 13 5-8; 30 000 bu do at $1 13 1 2; 35 000 bu do at $1 13 3 5; 25,000 bu do at $1 13 1 4; 30,000 bu do at $1 13 1-8; 10,000 bu do at $1 13; 10,000 bu do seller September at $1 13 3 4; 15 000 bu do at $1 13 5-8; 30 000 bu do at $1 13 1 2; 35 000 bu do at $1 13 3 5; 25,000 bu do at $1 13 1 4; 30,000 bu do at $1 13 1-8; 10,000 bu do at $1 13; 10,000 bu do at $1 12 7-8; 10,000 bu do at $1 12 3-4; 10,000 bu do at $1 12 5-8; 10,000 bu do at 87c.

The following were the closing prices on the call:

	Bid.	Asked
Wheat, cash or seller August	$1.12	$1 13
Wheat, seller September	1 13	1 13½
Wheat, seller October	1 13	1 13½
Wheat, seller December	....	....
Wheat, seller the year	....	11 25
Corn, cash	....	....
Corn, seller December	....	....
Lard, seller the year	....	....
Pork, cash	....	....
Pork, seller September	1 12	1 13
Pork, seller October	1 12	1 13
Pork, seller the year	1 11	1 12
Corn, cash	37½	38
Corn, seller September	38½	39
Corn, seller last half September	....	....
Corn, seller October	39	40
Corn, cash	27	27
Oats, seller September	26½	27
Oats, seller the year	26	26

CHICAGO DAILY MARKET.

THURSDAY, Aug 22.

BUTTER—In comparison with the preceding days of the week there was more life in the butter trade to-day; the cooler weather operating favorably; but the general market was far from being active, and former rates were no more than maintained. The few choice packages offered were promptly picked up at former prices, but the grades could irregularly. We quote: Strictly choice dairy at 21@22c; fair to good grades, 14@18c; inferior or to repack, 10@12c.

BAGGING—Cotton seamless bags continue in good request, and at the late reduction the market is brisk and firm. Burlaps and gunnies were in light request only, and the market for the latter being filled at a slight concession from the quotations. Wool sacks met with some inquiry at 28@30c. We quote: Stark, 30½c; Otakeag, 30c; Ludlow, 29c; Lewiston, 27c; American, 24c; Royal River, 26c; burlap bags, 21@22c; double Stark sacks, 60c; do double, 38c; wool sacks, 68@70c.

BUILDING MATERIALS.—In this market a fair business was transacted, and a strong feeling was manifested. We make no changes in our price list. Lime, $1.05 per brl. Hair, $1.50 per bush. Cassing, $2.75@3 00; superfine do, $4 00@4 50. Roseudale cement, $3 00@3 25; Udica cement, $2 00@2 10 per brl. Louisville cement, $2 00@2 10. Akron cement, $3 00@3 10; marble dust, $3 50; lime, 10c per bush; $1 25 lime, brls, $1 20@1 50; white sand, per brl, $2 00@2 25; plastering hair, per bu, 40@45c; fire stone, per load, $3 50@3 60; building brick, $9 50@12 00; fire clay, per brl, $4 00@5 00. The following is the list of prices per box of 40 feet for dressed siding alone, from which a reduction of 33 and 50 per cent is made by dealers:

	First Quality.	Double
11x14 to 12x18	$ 7 50	$10 00
14x18 to 16x20	8 40	12 00
16x20 to 16x24	9 00	13 00
12x12 to 18x30	9 25	14 00
20x30 to 24x30	9 25	15 00
24x30 to 24x36	11 25	16 00
26x34 to 26x40	11 60	17 00
28x32 to 28x44	12 00	18 00
30x36 to 30x44	13 50	20 00
36x36 to 36x48	15 00	22 50
32x52 to 34x52	16 00	24 00
34x52 to 36x52	17 00	25 00
36x52 to 44x52	18 00	27 00

BROOM CORN—The movement in this department was quite one and a weak feeling prevailed. We quote: Hurl, 5@6c; green, 3½@4c per lb.

BEANS—Following are the quotations now current: $1.95@2 00 for fair to choice prominal, and $2 00@2 10 for Lewis.

CHEESE—Small lots of factory cheese are still developed. The demand for good goods was of a like tal character, and with no surplus on hand, prices are not giving sales at any concession from the quoted figures. Full cream were quoted quiet and easy. We repeat our list as follows: New York factory, 14½@15c; Ohio factory, 14@15c.

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SENATOR TRUMBULL.

The depraved and scurrilous slang with which the less reputable portion of the Grant press have sought to assail the wholly unassailable character of Senator Trumbull is more a disgrace to our State and to American journalism than an annoyance to him. Mr. Trumbull is the best-known man in the State; the ablest, the most judicial and impartial, and among the purest. He has always exhibited first-class abilities, unclouded by the passions and vices which so often mar the utility of really great men. He has had as important and honorable a share in National legislation as Clay, Webster, or Silas Wright, without being dissolute, sensual, or a gambler. He has derived his whole political fame from positions to which he has been elected by the people or their representatives; none of them by Executive appointment, for he has not sought to play the courtier to the "successful accidents" of the day for power. No gift, or bribe, direct or indirect, has ever soiled his hands. He has not sought, like many in Congress, to make money out of the results of Congressional legislation by taking shares in the railways or other enterprises in which the votes of Congressmen had a money value. In no day of his official life has he made as much money as he could have made in the practice of his profession as a lawyer. And now, in the ripe maturity of his powers, he is indebted to a few prudent and well-judged investments in real estate in the neighborhood of this city for the possession of a modest competency. But for these he would have been poor.

His services to the Republican party in the period immediately following the war were alone of incalculable value. They were felt to be so by the leaders of the party at the time they were rendered. In this spirit Congress appropriated $50,000, at the request chiefly of Secretary Stanton, for the purpose of vindicating those laws against the efforts made to overturn them in the Courts. They were attacked chiefly in the McArdle case, originating in Mississippi, and it was feared by Congress that the conservatism of the Supreme Court might lead it to decide them unconstitutional. Mr. Trumbull averted the danger with consummate legal tact and skill, and accomplished the purpose, having been legally retained therefor by General Grant, to pay for which Congress had appropriated the $50,000. For this service, Secretary Stanton, who was authorized by the act to disburse the fund, awarded him $10,000, of which Stanton himself paid him $3,000, and General Rawlins as Secretary of War *ad interim*, paid him the remaining $7,000. Only about half the fund appropriated by Congress was used, and the remainder is still in the Treasury. Only a fifth of it was paid to Mr. Trumbull. The authority by which he received his $10,000 was exactly the same as that by which every officer receives his salary,—a law of Congress. The case in which he was employed, and in which his services were effective, was the most important ever brought before the Courts of the country. It was nothing less than the question whether Congress had the constitutional power to reconstruct the Union on the basis of universal suffrage. The pack of undiscriminating scoundrels who applaud the gift-taking and other financial irregularities of Grant could not do so unless they believed that every man is dishonest when the bribe is made large enough. But, in the case of Judge Trumbull, this faith in the universal rascality of mankind breaks down, and the moral infidels who hold it stand rebuked.

The charge of being a "renegade" is a mere epithet flung at a man of principles by the little bigots who cannot, or will not, see the difference between Republican principles and the Philadelphia Convention. Mr. Trumbull does not follow the Philadelphia Convention, but does adhere with unflinching fidelity to Republican principles. It is the old conflict which reformers and just men in all ages have passed through, between organizations that professed, by the laying on of hands and Apostolic succession, to hand down the truth, but which became honeycombed with hypocrisy and infidelity, and the higher order of *men* who, by virtue of their God-given abilities, see the truth for themselves as they see the sunlight, and so become builders of sects and founders of parties. Mr. Trumbull has helped to make several parties, but no party can make or unmake him. The people honor his conscientiousness, his abilities, and his political courage, and they will continue to avail themselves of them till they forget that the best interests of the country require that original statesmen rather than ranting partisan spouters shall represent first-class States, like ours, in the Senate.

THE GRAIN-GAMBLERS.

Some months ago, when the corner on oats broke down, carrying with it loss and ruin to a number of persons, we pointed out to the Board of Trade the fact that the remedy for all these irregularities was in their own hands. Thus, when elevators, by combination, rented out their bins, and kept them empty, in order to prevent railroads from bringing grain to the city, the Board should declare that any place where grain was actually in store was a "regular" warehouse, and that the certificate of any responsible person, that grain was actually in store, should be received in execution of contracts. The Board at that time declared several yards and warehouses, hitherto excluded, as regular, and their receipts valid in discharge of contracts. These combinations against public interest are mainly possible because of the restrictions upon trade imposed by the Board. The whole legislation of the Board of Trade is practically in aid of the warehouse combinations.

The recent corner, and the financial disasters it has wrought, will prove fortunate if they result in the adoption of a rule that all dealings shall be with principals; and that, when a man buys or sells for another, he shall disclose the name of his principal; so that, if the man who attempts a corner be irresponsible, all transactions with him shall be on that basis; if he be acting for a responsible firm then the responsible persons may be held to pay the losses. This business of a large firm putting four or five irresponsible brokers upon the markets to make contracts amounting to several millions of dollars, and then, when the corner fails, remaining unknown, and throwing the whole loss upon those dealing with the brokers, has been practised long enough. As a rule, the men who fail in their attempts at a corner do not pay their losses, and the reason is, that the real parties engaged escape just responsibility. If Smith, who is responsible, and can manufacture grain receipts at pleasure, wants to get up a corner, he hires A, B, and C to purchase for him. When the corner fails, and these agents have outstanding liabilities reaching from $100,000 to $500,000, they suspend; they surrender all they have got, which is nothing; but their principal escapes. The game of the corner man is, that, if the corner wins, he wins; if the corner fails, somebody else loses.

The several persons who have been engaged in the recent corner should, before being allowed to resume business again, be compelled to disclose the names of their partners, or of those for whom they were acting, and the question should be tested before the Courts whether the latter are not responsible for the contracts made by their agents. The Board of Trade, however, have it in their power to provide for such cases in the future by requiring that, when men are acting as agents, they shall, upon demand, give the names of their principals, and exhibit legal authority from the latter to make contracts. Something of this kind will effectually break up all attempts at corners by men of straw, and bring to the surface the real instigators of this disgraceful gambling.

WAREHOUSE RECEIPTS.

The collapse of the recent wheat corner is destined to work some long-needed reforms in the *modus operandi* of the grain business, if the Board of Trade has the backbone to adopt them. One of these reforms has already been proposed by the banks, with reference to warehouse receipts, and has been submitted in the form of a circular to the warehousemen, for their signatures. In commencing a reform in the warehouse business, the banks have laid the axe at the very root of the bogus methods and sharp transactions which have given the grain trade of Chicago such a bad name in Eastern markets, and created so much confusion and uncertainty in our own; and, as the banks clearly have it in their power to enforce this reform, we trust they will insist upon it, and so hedge in the warehouse business with safeguards that frauds will be impossible. The loose manner in which warehousemen have been allowed to conduct their operations has long been a public scandal. Originally there was no check at all upon the warehouses. Their receipts might represent grain, or might represent nothing at all but the paper on which they were printed. Bogus receipts made out to A, B, or C, might be put upon the market and sold *ad libitum*. The evident oversight of receipts, and the barefaced manner in which they were used to operate on the market, at last compelled a reform, and a check was placed upon this overissue by the Constitutional Convention and Legislature,—a law being passed requiring the warehousemen to report to the Warehouse Registrar the amounts of grain and granges received and shipped by them; a daily statement of each warehouse receipt on which grain had been delivered and which had been cancelled; and a weekly statement of the amounts of grain in store. The registration of receipts on the Board upon the Registrar's books, and a passage of a rule by the Board that they would not recognize receipts which had not been stamped by the Registrar, it was presumed would be a sufficient check upon the warehousemen. It was a check at one end; but the warehousemen found means to evade the requirements of the law, and that it was not universally complied with is evident from the last report of the Warehouse Registrar. There was nothing to prevent warehousemen shipping the grain out of their elevators without buying back the receipts, and of this the recent developments made since the burning of the Iowa Elevator furnish a painful example. There was nothing to prevent the warehouseman from taking in a receipt, reissuing it to a broker and selling it over again, which might be done with safety, provided it was not sold twice over to the same party. As long as such opportunities as these exist, the warehouse scandal must continue, and there is no real safety in the registration system.

The banks have now stepped in and made a proposition, with which no respectable warehouseman can refuse to comply. They propose that the Warehouse Registrar, who stamps the receipt, shall also cancel the receipt when the grain is withdrawn, and prevent its further circulation, precisely as is done with a bank check after presentation and payment. This proposition has been accepted by the warehousemen.

Under the present warehouse management, a receipt is not *bona fide* evidence of property. It may represent the grain which appears upon its face; it may represent thin air, and be of as much actual value as a bank check taken off the file and put into circulation again with no funds behind it. The banks have the clear right to demand a first-class security for their own protection; and if, in doing so, they not only protect themselves from loss, but protect the whole grain-trading community also, by placing another check upon warehouse frauds, they accomplish a doubly beneficent result. The warehouse business has too long been a scandal in Chicago, and a reproach all through the country. The Board of Trade owes it to itself, after the developments made by the burning of the Iowa Elevator and the bursting of the wheat corner, to co-operate with the banks, and so revise and enforce its own rules as to check gambling in grain and warehouse swindling.

THE COLORED VOTE.

The Buffalo *Commercial* says:

> We expected it would come to this! Here is THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE,—formerly Republican, now Greeley Democratic,—reviving the old Bourbon opposition to negro-suffrage. It says:
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> "Recent events which have prompted in North Carolina, in connection with the State campaign and election, are already beginning to suggest the question whether the political power wielded by the negro element in the south is not a serious menace to Republican institutions."
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> This cry will be taken up by the whole "Liberal" crew. And why not? Since they have joined the Democratic party, and if the colored voters insist upon voting the Republican ticket, why should not these rancorous renegades imbibe the Democratic hatred of the negro race, and even outdo their allies in the manifestation of it?

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE did more to give the negro the ballot than the Buffalo *Commercial* did, and it is conducted by the same persons now who edited it when that was the main question before the country. It has not changed its views, and does not propose to, on the propriety of giving the ballot to the negro. It does not follow, because we regard, "the political power wielded by the negro element" as a serious menace to Republican institutions, that we would not have regarded the withholding of the ballot from the negro as a still more serious menace to the Republic,—as we would. Nor, conceding the ballot in the hands of the colored race to be a menace to Republican institutions, would it follow that the remedy would consist in taking the ballot away from them. An ignorant mass of citizens who can vote is always dangerous, and has ever been so regarded by statesmen; but an ignorant class who cannot vote is still more dangerous. Nor does the political power of the negro at the South arise wholly from his possession of the ballot. It is aided by the denial of complete amnesty to the whites, thereby excluding thousands of the fittest and best men in the South from holding office, and from exercising their proper influence.

We have never admitted into the citizenship a mass of voters so formidable in numbers, so gullible in disposition, so unprepared in all their powers for the ballot. But the remedy is not to disfranchise them, but, if we can, to educate them. So long, however, as they clannishly shut their ears to all arguments except from one side, and kill, or maim, or coerce all who listen to the other side, their progress in political education must be slow, and the danger to Republican institutions proportionally great.

THE POLICE AND THE PAWNBROKERS.

The action of Police Superintendent Washburn, in the matter of the pawnbrokers who receive stolen goods, merits more than ordinary commendation. For many years Chicago has been cursed with gangs of burglars, a majority of whom are known to the police, and these gangs are supplemented by other gangs of boy thieves, of ages ranging from 10 to 17 years. These thieves are never idle. In Chicago, the business of housebreaking and robbery never stops. It goes on forever, and the reason of its great success in this city is the fact that the thieves are encouraged and protected by the pawnbrokers, and the pawnbrokers in turn are protected by the police. The mode of doing business in Chicago is as follows: The pawnbrokers are by law compelled to keep a list of all the things they purchase, or upon which they make loans; they know every thief in the business; they buy everything that is offered them. Though the pretence of making a loan is sometimes kept up, their business is substantially that of purchasing. Everything stolen by professional thieves finds its way to these pawnbroker-shops. They are, of course, purchased at the pawnbroker's own prices. For every $100 worth of property brought to him, he pays the thieves from $15 to $35. In nine cases out of ten, the police can find all the articles stolen from a house at a pawnbroker's shop. So thoroughly systematized is this trade, that, if the police can get any clue to the thief, they can name at once the particular pawnshop at which the goods may be found. The man whose house is robbed on a Monday night can, with the aid of the police, find his goods at a pawnbroker's on Tuesday afternoon. But finding them there does not secure their return. The pawnbroker demands to be reimbursed his "advances." Assuming that he has advanced the thief the liberal sum of $10 upon an article worth $30, when the owner applies for it he is required to pay $35 or $30. It will not be delivered otherwise, and the owner is quietly referred to his remedy by action of replevin. The latter action requires the employment of counsel, and the attendance with witnesses to prove the property at perhaps two or three terms of Court. All this is far more costly than to pay the pawnbroker his demand; and the result is, that the latter receives 100 to 150 per cent profit from the owner, or retains the article for the pittance paid to the thief. The joint profession of thief and pawnbroker in Chicago is, of necessity, a profitable one. Assuming that the thief receives 10 per cent in cash for what he steals, and that the donations to the police and other expenses are equal to as much more, the pawnbrokers make 400 per cent profit on all they buy, and, upon those stolen articles redeemed by the owners, their profit is 100 per cent upon a week's investment of their capital.

The police think they have performed their whole duty in the recovery of stolen property when they report that it is to be seen at a particular pawnshop; ignoring the whole principle of law, that the man who is found in possession of stolen property must prove how he came by it, and in no case has any right of property in it, they leave the owner to settle with the pawnbroker, and submit to a loss of his property, or the payment of nearly its full value.

It hardly requires an argument to show that this mode of doing business is a direct encouragement to robbery; nor does it need any particular array of facts to show that hundreds of boys now engaged in the business have been led into it by the facility and safety which are afforded them by the pawnbrokers. Ordinarily, the great difficulty of thieves is in the conversion of the property taken into money; but in this city this difficulty has never existed. There are twenty or more places where the property will be purchased and protection promised. The law of abstraction, division, and silence is rigidly observed. We have no disposition to prejudice the cases of those pawnbrokers arrested by order of the Superintendent on Wednesday; but the fact that one boy employed in a store has stolen, from time to time, goods to the value of $1,000, and has found ready purchasers for it, is a serious matter. When it is remembered that there are perhaps 200 other boys more or less engaged in the same business, and 500 others having opportunity to steal and thus strongly tempted, the enormity of this system of shopkeeping for the purchase of stolen property becomes apparent. We trust that the alliance heretofore existing between pawnbrokers and the police will now be terminated, and that pawnbrokers will hereafter be treated as all other receivers of stolen goods should be treated. Every pawnbroker discovered purchasing stolen property should be arrested and placed on trial, and these arrests and indictments and trials should not be once every five years, but regularly at every term of the Criminal Court. The plea of want of guilty knowledge is one which, in a majority of cases, ought to be of little avail. When a pawnbroker buys day after day, jewelry, clothing, watches, silver-ware, and other property from boys, and from persons known to them to be professional thieves, the plea of a want of knowledge that the property is stolen should be considered amply repelled.

It is but just to say that there are several pawnbrokers in Chicago who do an honest and legitimate business, and who support no thieves as purveyors to their establishments. But the number of those who do this dishonest trade, so corrupting to youth and so encouraging to crime, is sufficiently large to call for the most earnest and efficient interference by the police.

The Chicago Evening *Journal* amuses itself by enumerating and publishing the number of times it has demanded that we shall state one solitary instance in which Grant, since he became President, or even since his nomination, has accepted a gift. It says it has already made this demand three times. We so seldom look at its editorial page that very likely it has done so. Now that we observe its importunate cry, we hasten, like the ravens to Elijah, to answer its prayer for bread.

President Grant, as we have a score of times stated, has received, since he became President, as a gift donated by various persons, of whom Thomas Murphy was one, the sum of $30,000, which he used in the purchase of a cottage at Long Branch. A. T. Stewart, of New York, certifies that, when the subscription paper was handed to him, Murphy's name led the list, and it was being made up as a subscription by six persons at $5,000 each. He declined to be one. This instance was rendered more disgraceful from the fact that Grant afterwards appointed Murphy Collector of the Port of New York. There is a strong resemblance between the transaction and the acceptance by Barnard of the presents from the Erie Company, for which that Judge has just been removed from office and disqualified from holding any office of trust or profit.

Now, will the *Journal* tell us what became of the Chicago Aldermen who took gifts? One of them, we see,—Montgomery by name,—is now making speeches for Grant.

Five weeks ago, a Committee was appointed by the Common Council to investigate the Healy Slough, Ogden Slip, and Reed & Sherwin's rendering establishment, which had been repeatedly declared a nuisance by the Board of Health and Board of Public Works. The Committee visited these places, became thoroughly convinced that they were nuisances, and, three weeks ago, prepared a report in favor of filling up the slough, disinfecting the slip, and annulling the contract between the city and Messrs. Reed & Sherwin, and removing their establishment beyond the city limits. Why has not this report been presented to the Council? Why has not some member of the Council called for it? The nuisance still continues, and the reasons for its abatement are as pressing to-day as they were five weeks ago. The public is getting anxious to know why this Committee is withholding this important report, immediate action upon which is so essential to the health of the city. The public have not forgotten this nuisance, if the Council have, and, if the Council wish to serve their constituents, they will call up this report at their very next meeting, and act upon it at once. If they do not, the public will demand to know the reason. This report cannot longer remain shelved without giving rise to suspicions that there are some peculiar reasons for it. The public want either the report or the reasons.

The Freedom of Workingmen.

A private letter from Milwaukee gives the following information of the desperate means to be resorted to by the Grantites:

> The despair of the Renominationists is getting more and more marked every day in Milwaukee. Not content with having fraternized and organized a number of the city officials into a secret and imposing uniformed Club, but they are receiving members so slowly that some means are about to be resorted to which could only be adopted in desperation. E. B. Ward has a large rolling-mill here, or, rather, he is one of the stockholders in it, and undertakes to "boss" it. It is understood not only that the 600 men employed in it are "expected" to be for Grant, but, *nolens volens*, they are all to be registered and compelled to march to the office-holders' music. By this means the Grantites expect to overawe the free and independent voters of Milwaukee. Such a course cannot but tell against both Grant and Ward.

Literally, the uniform thus forced upon the workmen will be Ward's livery, by which he can show off to the people the men whom he claims to own.

Has the problem of aerial navigation been solved? A dealer in machinery and the President and three Directors of a "Mechanics' Institute," all of Kansas City, Mo., testify that Mr. W. L. Judson, of that city, has invented a flying machine, which "moves in any direction, either horizontal or vertical, with the wind or against the wind, at the will of the operator." Mr. Judson has had a model made, which he proposes to exhibit at the coming fairs in Quincy, Ill., Atchison and Topeka, Kansas, and Kansas City and Louisiana, Mo. This model weighs eleven pounds, and has a carrying capacity of seventeen. The motive-power is either compressed air or the gas of liquid ammonia. The machine has made a mile in four minutes. From the out in Mr. Judson's circular, his "air ship" seems to consist of a cigar-shaped balloon, beneath which is a cabin, at one end of which is a screw-propeller that can be adjusted at any angle, so that it is motive-power and steering apparatus in one.

The revenue collected from spirits, tobacco, fermented liquors, and banks, in 1871, from the First and Third Districts of Mississippi, was $36 923 62. The amount appropriated for the collection of these taxes, during the fiscal year 1872-73, is $37,000. These figures tell a tale of reckless extravagance that cannot be gainsaid. Yet they do not tell the whole story of fraud. In the Third District alone, two carpet-bag Collectors, appointed by Grant, have proved defaulters, and have got away with their gains. It is small wonder that Mr. Dawes, who is now trying to prove that Grant's Administration has been economical, declared, in a speech to the House, Jan. 16, 1871, that the estimates of that Administration, for the ensuing year, were $49 682,526 above the appropriations for the expenses of Johnson's last year, and added:

> The expenditures of the nation are unjustifiable, and without proper regard to economy or to the necessities of the case.

There is a new religion of total abstinence. Doctor Prosper Despine, of Paris, is its prophet. He proposes to establish great nurseries for the propagation of a certain worm which destroys the roots of the vine. Hence, no vine; no wine; much maddening liquor. The morality of the plan is as low as its wisdom. An American potato-hater would be equally justified in breeding the potato-bug by the million. Doctor Despine is entitled to credit for his resolve to go to the root of the matter; but he evidently suffers from an overplus of misdirected zeal.

General Hartranft, who is running for Governor of Pennsylvania on the Cameron-Grant ticket, was the intimate friend of Charles T. Yerkes, who was convicted of embezzling the State funds and is now in the Penitentiary. As he was not a State official, the question naturally arises: How did he get hold of these funds? An affidavit made by Yerkes last year, and never contradicted, puts these facts: Hartranft caused the money in the State Treasury to be loaned to him (Yerkes), for purposes of speculation. On Dec. 19, 1870, he paid Hartranft $2 700, and he also paid him "various amounts of money" in return for his offices in placing the State Treasury as his disposal. It only remains to add that, by the Cameron-Grant logic, the honest Republicans who refuse to vote for this man Hartranft are "traitors" and "renegades."

Campaign poetry is apt to become a drug in the market, but occasionally we come across a really spirited and poetic lyric. An Albany (N. Y.) songster sweetly sings:

> Greeley's the man whose boundless love
> Would save this world from martial death!
> Why then cast off this peaceful Dove
> That coos Salvation every breath.

This striking representation of the Philosopher as a "peaceful dove" that "coos salvation" deserves more than a newspaper immortality. We are scarcely prepared, however, to fully indorse the figure, and must certainly dissent from the pleasing tribute in the first couplet of this:

> Greeley's the man would save the soul
> From waves of Hell's eternal fire!
> Why then not use all his control
> To hush in sleep the Nation's ire!

Until the appearance of this wondrous rhyme, we believe that *Harper's Weekly*, which is edited by Mr. George W. Curtis, was the only publication that had represented Mr. Greeley as the Savior.

Some forty years ago, plain Augustus Smith, of London, leased the Scilly Islands from the Duchy of Cornwall and became "King Augustus." He has been absolute ruler through all this time, and has administered a "despotism tempered with kindness." The residents of the smaller islands had intermarried with relatives for so many generations that they were sinking into hopeless imbecility. He broke up this practice by giving them better farms in different parts of his domain, and so scattering them. He has enforced education rigidly, and has kept, at his own expense, a staff of clergymen of different denominations. Of a strapping, cheating race he has made an honest one. Of a lazy race he has made an industrious one. One life has rarely done so much practical good as did that of "King Augustus," who ended it, a few days ago, amid the tears of his subjects.

The Grant press claims that the debt has been reduced, since March 1, 1869, by $337,000,000. The official report of William A. Richardson, Acting Secretary of the Treasury, is $237 404 663.57. By the same official report, the cash in the Treasury, on Aug. 1, 1872, was $85 358,044 39. The actual reduction, then, in three years and five months of Grant's Administration, is, by the latest official report, only $252,046,559.18. This is an average monthly reduction of only $6,147,477. Secretary McCulloch's official report, submitted December, 1868, proves that the average monthly reduction under Johnson was $10,936,301. The excess of monthly reduction during Johnson above monthly reduction under Grant is, then, by *official reports*, $4,788,724.

The municipal authorities of Paris have issued a tabular statement of the suicides in that city during 1871. It seems that 4,177 people were foolish or wise enough to take their lives in their hands and then throw them away. The reasons of self-murder are stated thus:

Ruin or affection	1,377
Physical suffering	93
Disappointed love	701
Family quarrels	83
Want	1,139
Abuse of absinthe	25
Fear of punishment	23

It thus appears that a person can insure himself against even committing suicide by the simple process of not "abusing" strong drink, never being afraid of punishment, always avoiding physical and mental suffering, never quarrelling with his family, eschewing love, and keeping rich.

There is a neat distinction, drawn, of course, by a Frenchman, between a Communist and a Socialist. "The Communist is destructive, because he is a man of despair; the Socialist is careful to protect the property of other people, because he expects to own it." This puts the Communist almost in the light of a benefactor. If a man is forcibly dispossessed of his possessions, he naturally prefers that nobody else should enjoy them. Thus, during the height of Judge McKean's illegal war on the Mormons, Brigham's right-hand man, George Smith, said to a Gentile audience: "Twice I've had to leave my house and cattle for Gentiles to enjoy; but, if you force me out of this city, I'll leave nothing but ashes behind."

In an editorial article which we published yesterday the following sentence occurred:

> At every point the comparison is odious to Grant, than whom a more arrant dead-beat was never foisted upon an intelligent people.

The phrase "arrant dead-beat" was improperly inserted by an oversight in the revision of the article where it occurred. We should not willingly apply this term to any person holding the high office of President of the United States.

It will be remembered that the President's brother-in-law, A. B. Corbin, was the partner of Fisk and Gould in their infamous Black Friday plot. The United States District Attorney of South Carolina is named D. T. Corbin. This coincidence of Corbins is suspicious. Has the President an official relative in the midst of the rascally ring that robs the Palmetto State?

POLITICAL.

Ithamar C. Sloan, of Janesville, a Republican member of Congress from 1863 to 1867, is the Liberal nominee of the First Wisconsin District against Charles G. Williams, of Janesville, the Grant nominee.

—Among recent nominations for the Illinois Senate are the following: Liberals—Sam A. Buckmaster, of Alton; Beatty T. Burke, of Carlinville; J. A. Chiniquy, of St. Anne, Kankakee County; Francis M. Youngblood, of Franklin County; Basil Foster, of Edwards County. Republicans—Charles B. Steele, of Mattoon; Benj. R. Hampton, of Macomb; James G. Strong, of Dwight.

—In one of its recent tables, the *Missouri Democrat* puts down New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut, North Carolina, Louisiana, Nebraska, Illinois and California, as safe for Grant, and *then* only figures up 117 votes, where 184 will be needed.

—Secretary Delano, when the first returns from North Carolina indicated the election of Merrimon, said: "Oh, never mind; our friends have matters fixed all right in North Carolina, and the Republican ticket will be declared elected. Don't give yourselves the least trouble."

—One of the objections of a Mrs. Wade, of Pennsylvania, to Horace Greeley, and for which she opposes his election, is that "he is not in favor of a liberal divorce law." Well, well! We have no doubt the Chappaqua Philosopher would cheerfully counsel the husband to let the discontented wife depart in peace.

—Willard P. Phillips, Esq., is talked of as a candidate for Congress from the sixth district of Massachusetts on the Greeley ticket.

—The Liberal-Democratic majority in the North Carolina Legislature will be 24 on joint ballot.

—Some of the subsidized papers in the Seventh District of Iowa append to the name of John A. Kasson for Congress, the words: "so long as he proves himself loyal to Grant." So there is still a doubt as to Kasson's loyalty to Grant.

—H. Thoreson, of Northfield, the wealthiest Scandinavian merchant in Minnesota, and a life-long Republican, has declared for Greeley.

—The Springfield *Republican* thinks when Mr. Greeley becomes President his appetite for work will be communicated to subordinate officials just as Grant's perpetual cigar has increased the consumption of tobacco among politicians. Man is an imitative animal.

—Judge D. M. Key, the Liberal candidate for Congress in the Chattanooga District, reported resolutions in the Tennessee Democratic Convention, May 9, endorsing the nomination of Greeley at Cincinnati.

—In the Memphis (Tenn.) District the regular Democratic nominee for Congress, is Landon C. Haynes, ex-Confederate Senator, an original Secessionist, and now a Bourbon of the straightest sect. His independent rival is Colonel Andrew J. Kellar, editor of the Memphis *Avalanche*, a Douglas Democrat before the war, and opposed to Secession, a fighting Colonel when the fight came, and, since the surrender, a zealous advocate of Reconciliation. The Nashville *Banner* says:

> He is one of the ablest and bravest journalists of the Southern country, with more genuine devotion to the true, real interests of the south in his little finger than many of the loud, extremely southern politicians have in their whole bodies. Such a Representative would do more credit to the State and serve better the interests of his constituency than a dozen Haynes.

—Ralph Leete, of Ironton, O., whose name has been heralded as a delegate to Blanton Duncan's Convention, writes:

> We can count 115 men who have steadily voted the Republican ticket since Lincoln's first election who are supporting Mr. Greeley. Among them are Edward M. Norton, chief of all the iron masons; the Episcopal and Congregational clergymen, several merchants, and *all* Germans in this within the town of Ironton.

—It is very easy for the editor of the Dayton *Journal* to say that Tabbs Gross can speak where he has a mind to, unmolested. Neither Tabbs, nor those of his race opposed to him, are of that opinion. Those who have knowledge of the facts know that no colored man can speak for Greeley in this community without great personal peril.—*Cincinnati Commercial*.

—Ben. Butler's friends came within one vote of carrying the Republican primary election in Greenfield, Mass., the home of Governor Washburn. It would not be strange if Ben. gets the nomination, on the 28th. His men have been at work secretly and effectively.

—William Stewart, of Mercer County, Pa., a Republican member of Congress during Buchanan's term, is now for Greeley. Other Mercer County Republicans of influence, also for Greeley, are D. W. Findley, E. Wheeler, and Colonel J. T. Glebner.

—The Hon. Isaac Senson, ex-Republican State Senator, of Pennsylvania, and an influential Republican in his District, has declared for Greeley and Brown. In a letter to Colonel McClure, he expresses his conviction that Potter and McKean Counties will give Liberal majorities. George Landon and Gordon T. Mason, who have represented this District in the Senate, are also in the Liberal ranks.

—"Greeley torn *all* to Pieces and Thrown Away," is the way the Rockford (Ill.) *Register* is the West Bend (Wis.) *Democrat's* caption to an account of a Grant mass meeting in that place. Shouldn't wonder!

INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION OF WOMEN.

A Visit to the Dublin Society for the Employment of Educated Women—The Victoria Institute and Its Mission.

T. W. Higginson, in the Woman's Journal.

There is a class of institutions now rising in Europe for the industrial education of women—institutions which should be better known in America. They can generally teach us nothing in regard to literary, or even scientific, education, our High and Grammar Schools being far in advance of what they offer. But in systematic industrial training they have much to teach, and in artistic education they are very far beyond us. One of the best of these institutions is the Queen's Institute at Dublin. There is a quiet street called Molesworth street close by the great hotel to which all Americans resort in Dublin, the Shelbourne House. Molesworth street is a quiet, old-fashioned place, where the houses remind you of the older and stateliet parts of Salem, or Portsmouth, or Philadelphia. They all have very high doors, decorated with brass plates, and having the handless near the middle of the door that you would think which way it will open. This door, No. 35 bears the inscription, this inscription: "Society for the Employment of Educated Women." Overhead you read, "The Queen's Institute, founded 1861;" and above the inner door, on entering, you find written, "Enter the Lord's Vineyard." They labor in vain that build it."

Within you find a common city house, made crowded and uncomfortable by the vain effort to adapt it to the varied exigencies of a school. You go up stairs and down stairs, here coming upon a French class, then upon a class in telegraphy, and anon opening a door upon a room full of young women coloring delicate portraits with lovely tints. Then comes where are pupils, real, industry, enthusiasm; but comfort and elbow-room nowhere. The Victoria Institute was founded eleven years ago. Chiefly through the zeal and energy of the present Secretary, Miss A. B. Corlett, it was originally connected with a purely literary institution, which still flourishes under the name of the Alexandria Institute; but the two grew strong enough to be separated, and now the literary department of the Queen's Institute is entirely subordinate to the industrial. How wide is the range of its industrial aims, may be inferred from this circular of the order office on the first floor. The manager of this department is Miss F. Gatty, who resided at one time in America, and has many friends among the anti-slavery people.

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This does not, however, represent the full activity of the establishment, as the circular makes no allusion to those pupils who are training for governesses, for shop-keepers, and whose work is not represented in the order office. The following table of actual students in the different departments will show their destination, it being remembered that many pupils are entered in several departments: Languages (above named) and foreign correspondence, 97; drawing, 97; flower painting, 97; book-keeping, 97; telegraphy, 67; advanced English course, 43; porcelain painting and gilding, 40; needlework, lace, sewing-machine, cutting, and dressmaking, 40; painting—oil, water color, photograph, 26; music, 25; wood engraving, drawing on wood, glass engraving, 23; reading aloud, 17; preparing for university examinations, 16; lithography and illuminating, 15; law writers, 11; flower painting, 10. The aggregate of all these classes is 647; the number of separate pupils, 430. For these there are thirty-eight teachers, the resident forty-five distinct classes. Out of the pupils forty-two are gratuitous, each of the fifty-two "governors" having the right to appoint each a pupil, who pays a guinea (one hundred and eight shillings and sixpence per quarter (complimentary drawing) up to three guineas per quarter (porcelain painting). The price for the ordinary instruction is a guinea and a half for six months; for short hand writing, one guinea per quarter; for wood engraving or lithography, one pound ten shillings per quarter. The modern languages are taught for six pence for six months, where only one lesson is given per week. There is also a sort of normal class for training governesses in a "practising school," at a guinea a week, at four shillings per quarter. I can testify from inspection that the commoner departments of work, above named, show great thoroughness of execution. I saw much law-writing that looked like copper-plate, and was informed that the leading "scriveners" in the city kept the institute supplied with work. I myself also sent packages of envelopes which had been sent there to be addressed. There were also illuminated inscriptions and albums; complimentary addresses illuminated and engrossed, and a variety of work done of this description. Everything seemed to be done with more fastidious neatness than is usually found in men's establishments, although the crowded quarters gave some inevitable air of confusion to the classes and storerooms. It is claimed that this institution first introduced into Great Britain the employment of women as telegraphers; but I must leave this whole subject for a separate article. It is also claimed that the art of porcelain painting is something not before introduced into institutions for women. At any rate, it is a specialty of this school, and has brought to it more prizes and compliments than any other branch. The decorated ware of the Queen's Institute is well known in the market, and is in favor with the public. I saw a beautiful set prepared for the Marchioness of Lorne, and some sets have been sent to America. There is now a kiln on the premises, so that every part of the process is performed on the spot, under direction of Mr. Kerr. I had neither the time nor the artistic knowledge necessary to compare their work in other respects with that of the Cooper Institute classes in New York, or the Old School of Design in Boston. In Dublin they have the great advantage of Government inspection from South Kensington, and of the art competitions now established in England; on the other hand there is no art museum in Ireland, while not merely London, but Edinburgh, is now well provided. As it is, 400 drawings, designs, and paintings have been sent to South Kensington this year for exhibition; and sixteen examples from the professional art schools have been sent to the Annual International Exhibition for prizes. In previous years several gold medals have been won by the Institute pupils. The classes for general education have grown out of the requirement by Government of a certain standard for governesses; and also out of the necessity for training governesses. Pupils are also specially prepared for the University examinations for women, the certificates given under these being very valuable to teachers. Of the seven students of the Institute who applied at the Trinity College examination last year, five passed, and eight obtained prizes from the First Academy of Music. Examinations of this kind are at present the one advantage open to women possessed by English women, but they are weak when we are strong, in schools for training pupils. In regard to industrial and artistic education, the Victoria Institute deserves study from every American, and I am very glad to have had a glimpse at its workings. Of its telegraphic instruction I will speak next week.

MY SUMMER OVER THE SEA.

THE CAMPAIGN.

LIBERALISM IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS—GENERAL BLACK AND MR. MOULTON.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: Having returned from a short trip through the central portion of the State, and having had my own hopes strengthened by my observations there made, I have concluded to give you a brief outline of what I saw and heard.

Every where I found the friends of the Liberal Reform movement full of hope, animated and buoyant, and daily receiving accessions from the ranks of the Regular Republicans. In all the townships I visited, I found the friends of the new party had lists of Republicans committed to the support of Greeley and Koerner. It was noticeable that in every instance, the recruits from the Republican ranks were from the most intelligent and thoughtful of its supporters, and very frequently the very fathers and leaders of the old Republican party. We ought not to be surprised at this, however, as this is the characteristic of all great revolutions having a good end in view. Women do their speaking, and women prove the main attendants of their meetings.

We have noticed from the first, in this canvass, that it was such men as Sumner, Trumbull, Schurz, Greeley, Moulton, Palmer, and Koerner,—the careful, conscientious, and able thinkers,—who have had intelligence enough to take alarm at the corruption and lawlessness pervading the Government and threatening its overthrow, and independence enough to rebuke and oppose it. On the other hand, party discipline is most fatally insisted upon, independence of party and devotion to principle and country most bitterly denounced, by such patterns of character and consistency as Cameron, Morton, Logan, Pomeroy, Chandler, Butler, Conkling, Creswell, and Oglesby.

When we ascertain how extensive and general, among the better and more intelligent classes of Republicans, is the purpose to disregard party domination and old affiliations, justly denounce hostile and corrupt measures, make a grand effort to overcome and put down corruption and abuse of power, we are fully satisfied not only with hope, amounting to confidence, as to the result of the present campaign, but with a firm faith also for the future of our country.

Let me give you a few instances illustrative of the change now in progress throughout the entire country:

In Champaign City heretofore a strong hold of Radicalism less than 150 voters turned out to hear Governor Oglesby as a Republican gubernatorial candidate, while a few evenings afterwards, over 300 voters turned out to hear a stranger speak Liberal views. In Decatur, Oglesby's home, over 150 Liberal Republicans are on the roll, not counting the Germans, who are Liberal to a man; while almost daily accessions are being received. In Homer, where it has been almost impossible for years past to hold a meeting for political purposes, a splendid audience of Free-Thinkers assembled, and the "Wizard" himself was present. In Mansfield, one only. In Dewitt, of two or three. Doubtless there are others; but the number is certainly very small of the Democrats who are willing to pull Mr. Grant's chestnuts out of the fire.

A few, who dislike the idea of voting for Mr. Greeley, have struck upon a happy compromise. They propose to cast Mr. Greeley's name from the ticket, but to vote for the Liberal Electors, saying that if these Electors shall vote for Greeley, it is their own lookout.

I met, while out, and had the pleasure of conversing with, General Black, the Liberal candidate for Lieutenant Governor, and Mr. Moulton, as well as of seeing many friends of the respective gentlemen.

General Black is a gentleman of fine presence; has brown hair, chin-whiskers and mustache, blue eyes; about 5 feet 9 inches high; has a clear strong, musical voice, an animated manner, and a compact frame, indicating energy and endurance. He is generally esteemed in the central portion of the State, where best known, the strongest stump-orator in the State. Perhaps the most favorable thing upon him is the wonderful personal friendship entertained for him by men of all parties, which secures for him great popularity and fine audiences wherever he addresses them. This is one appeal in favor of his election, which is potent, though voiceless, and which persuades all lovers of patriotism and love of country. The left arm, it seems, was shot in the knee shorter than the right, owing to the loss of a portion of the bone by a wound received while he was leading his regiment at the battle of Pierce Grove.

At the outbreak of the war, General Black was a student in Wabash College, Indiana, and, on the day that news spread over the land that Sumter had been fired on, was the first from the College to enlist as a private soldier in the Montgomery Guards, afterwards Company I, Eleventh Indiana Volunteers. He was subsequently appointed Sergeant Major of this regiment, serving with it during the three months' service. Then he returned to his old home, Danville, and raised a Company, which was mustered in as Company K, Thirty-seventh Infantry, upon the organization of which regiment he was elected and commissioned Major. For gallant services in the battle of Pea Ridge he was promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel, and in the right fore-arm, he was appointed Lieutenant Colonel of the regiment,—Colonel Julius White having, for gallant conduct in the same action, been promoted to a Brigadier-Generalship.

In the battle of Prairie Grove, Dec. 7, 1863, Gen. Black was, as before suggested, severely wounded in the left arm, and for a time his life was despaired of. But a strong constitution won a victory for him, and he was, soon after, on the resignation of the then Colonel of the regiment, promoted to the Colonelcy of the regiment for his gallantry in the battle above referred to. He served with credit and distinction thereafter in Missouri, Arkansas, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas and Alabama, and participated in the sieges of Vicksburg and Mobile, at which latter place he commanded a brigade, and led the same in the grand assault on the Blakely Batteries, being himself one of the first men inside the conquered fortress. He was, and his regiment were, and, for gallantry at Mobile and elsewhere, General Black received his commission as Brigadier-General from the President.

Throughout his entire time of service, he was distinguished from the day the first gun was fired until after the last action in the great drama of civil war was at an end. General Black, who fought his way from the ranks to a star, enjoyed the reputation of being a brave, able, and chivalrous gentleman and officer; and it is within the personal knowledge of many that while some officers in our forces, including General Grant, refused to receive the colored people, or give them refuge within our lines, General Black always made room for these poor refugees, and this was of the Thirty-seventh hedged them about as with a wall.

Mr. Moulton I found a clear-headed, ready-spoken man, thoroughly in earnest in the great work in which he is embarked. He professes regret at being compelled to engage in this political struggle; but, regarding the situation as one fraught with peril to the commonwealth, by reason of the rank corruption and outspoken lawlessness of the present Administration and party in power, he yields his own sentiments, casts aside from old party ties and associations, and enters with all earnestness into the struggle. Those who know him will expect valiant and effective service from him, for he is keenly felt and deeply regretted by his regulars, who hoped to number him among their leaders. The sickening necessity of the man made such associations impossible, while it fixed, by the law of attraction, his position and fellowship among the leaders of Reform.

B.

LIBERALISM IN MERCER COUNTY, ILL.

PERRYTON, Ill., Aug. 20.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: On the last day of this month, the Liberal Republicans and Democrats are going to raise a Greeley pole in Aledo, and have a general good time. Mr. D. P. Phelps, of Monmouth, is to be present on the occasion, and give one of his sound, interesting speeches. Quite a number of Republicans in our county have thrown Grant overboard, and come out fairly and squarely for Greeley, and are using their best efforts and influence for the support of the Liberal cause.

WANDERER.

LIBERALISM AT WARSAW, IND.

WARSAW, Ind., Aug. 21,

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: The campaign in this county is warming up. Yesterday, the Hon. Cassius M. Clay, of Kentucky, spoke here to scores of people, that came in from this and adjoining counties in wagons, buggies, on horseback, and on trains from the east, west, north, and south, until the town was full to overflowing. There were fully 10,000 voters out. The greatest of enthusiasm prevailed. Round after round of applause was given, and at times the entire audience were raised to their feet by the more than mortal eloquence of the orator. Five fine brass bands discoursed music for the occasion. In the evening the Hon. A. O. Packard, of Plymouth, made a telling speech to a crowd that took up the street for two blocks. The Rev. Mr. Lang, of Michigan, spoke next,—a man who stumped for Grant four years ago, and on whom he demands the political damnation. His speech was a terror to the hearts of the barnacles who were present.

The good work goes on gloriously. The Granites write letters to the *Water-Sheet*, telling of Democrats joining the Grant and Wilson Clubs to the number of thirty-seven, at Leesburg, in this county, at one meeting, when, in fact, there were but eighteen persons out all told, and no Democrat joined. We have but one in the county that will not go for Greeley, and he has a son-in-law running for Sheriff on the Grant ticket.

LIBERAL.

A FEMALE GRANTITE.

HILLSDALE, Mich., Aug. 21.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: At a Grant and Wilson mass meeting here, last night, in Court House Square, Mrs. Beckett spoke a piece to about 500 people, three-fourths of whom were ladies. Although she censured the "abusers" of Grant, and was loud in her abuse of Sumner, Schurz, and other "traitors" to Grantism. The Anti-administrationists are losing ground. Women do their speaking, and women prove the main attendants of their meetings.

F. G.

LIBERALISM AT PORTAGE CITY, WIS.

PORTAGE CITY, Wis., Aug. 21.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: The Hon. Morton H. Bovee, of Whitewater, this State, addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting here last night, at the Court House, in behalf of the Liberal movement. Mr. Bovee is an old and honored Democrat, and is an able and candid speaker. He treated only upon facts, and set forth the Grant Administration in its true light, to the great discomfort of the Grantites present.

On the 29th inst. Moses M. Strong, a Democrat, will speak for the Liberal cause.

GREELEY AND GRANT IN LAPORTE COUNTY, IND.

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind., Aug. 19.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: The Hon. Casper Butz, of Illinois, spoke in German at Wanatah to-night. Fully 1,500 people congregated in the village to hear him. He spoke in the schoolhouse. The people crowded it to its utmost capacity, and hundreds were unable to gain admittance. His speech was a success, and was warmly and enthusiastically applauded. The Germans are alive and working in the Liberal cause.

After Mr. Butz had concluded his speech, Mr. J. H. Winterbotham, candidate for Senator for Laporte and Stark Counties, addressed the people upon the political issues of the day, dwelling at length upon the pickings and stealings of the Grantite party. He showed up a great many of the shining lights of the party of Hate in no enviable light, and concluded his address amid the cheers of the people.

Michigan City sent a large delegation, which was re-enforced at LaCrosse and Westville. The train was so crowded that it was almost impossible to find even standing room.

The Granites imported two German speakers from Cincinnati to address the Germans at this place this evening. Only seven Germans, by actual count, attended their meeting, and they were Greeley men, who were unable to get away from their business to go to Wanatah, but who, during the evening, dropped in to hear what these Porkopolis speakers had to say for the benefit of corse the black-and-tanners were out in force,—about 60.

Put Michigan City down as being sound on Hendricks and Crum, in October, and Greeley and Brown in November. The Administrationists look sick. Grant on the brain is what is the matter with them.

LIBERAL.

POLITICS AT McHENRY, ILL.

McHENRY, Ill., Aug. 21.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: I have recently taken a trip to the pleasant village of McHenry, situated on the banks of the Fox River, about 60 miles from Chicago, via the Northwestern Railroad, and which is one of the most pleasant summer resorts of the many about Chicago. The have three large lakes six miles north, and one mile west at all of which, and in the river, can be found as good hunting and fishing as at any other place in the West. The scenery about the place is very picturesque and beautiful. They have two large hotels, which are now accommodating a good number of Chicago people who are spending the summer at this place.

There is not as yet much excitement about politics although many have now come out either for Reconciliation or Hate. The Democrats are a unit, nearly, for Horace Greeley. There are a very few Blanton Democrats, but they have no prominence in the politics of the county or village. There are yet many Republicans who have not elected which way to vote. A careful estimate places the number of Liberals in this county at from 500 to 700. The Germans are a unit for Old Horace. I know of but one German that is for Grant, and he is a man of no influence. The Irish will go for Greeley almost unanimously. C. A. K.

Fond Du Lac Air-Line Railroad to Milwaukee.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Aug. 21.

To the Editor of The Chicago Tribune:

SIR: For some years past, the Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Chicago & Northwestern Railroads have been watching each other and manoeuvering to get the upper hand in securing the freight and travel of the great Northwest. At last the Milwaukee Road broke the ice by commencing last year to build a railroad of their own between Milwaukee and Chicago, which is at present nearly half built. When finished, they expected to carry all the passengers they would bring from Iowa, Minnesota, and Wisconsin into Milwaukee, over their new road, as soon as finished, on to Chicago, by the Northwestern Branch between the two cities the local business only, which would not be sufficient to pay running expenses. At this gloomy prospect of things for the Northwestern, the friends of the Milwaukee & St. Paul ebuoked exceedingly, but they little dreamed of the stuff the Northwestern men were made of. On Saturday, at 10 o'clock, Colonel DeGraff arrived here from St. Paul, and, before the week is over, will have over 2 000 men grading the "Air Line Branch of the Northwestern Road" from this city to Milwaukee, and the whole distance will be finished by the 1st of next November. Colonel DeGraff is one of the leading railroad builders of the country, and is at present building the railroad from St. Paul to Pembina, on the Northern Pacific; has built the railroad from Winona to St. Paul, and on to St. Peter, over 300 miles, this year. If he can't get men enough here at once to finish up this little bit of a road in the next two months, he will take enough to do so from his works in Minnesota and Dakota. He has brought Mr. Rock, of Madison, into this State with him, being one of his ablest and most energetic contractors, under whose guest, if not all, of the work will be placed.

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LIBERAL.

Colored Liberal Republicans of Massachusetts.

An address by the colored Liberal Republicans of Massachusetts has been issued. The following are the concluding paragraphs:

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GREELEY AND BROWN.

Address of the Campaign Committee to the People.

Rousing Liberal Meeting in the Tenth Ward.

Inspiring Addresses by General Stiles and Senator Woodward.

The New Headquarters--Announcements of Meetings.

ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE OF CHICAGO AND COOK COUNTY.

HEADQUARTERS GREELEY AND BROWN] CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE.
No. 35 Canal st., Aug. 23, 1872.

The Committee appointed to take charge of the preliminary organization of the supporters of Greeley and Brown in the City of Chicago and County of Cook have opened their headquarters at the corner of Canal and Washington streets.

We deem this a suitable occasion to announce to the people the reasons why we ask the support and co-operation of good men in the cause we have espoused.

First of all, we believe that the happiness of the people and the prosperity of business interests, so far as they are involved in the Administration of the National Government, will be best promoted by the establishment of entire peace and concord between the North and the South, and by the cessation of all disputes growing out of a war long since terminated, and out of a system of slavery and inequality of political rights long since adjusted by constitutional amendments. There being no war, and no organized opposition to those constitutional amendments, we hold that it is a patriotic duty to show the Southern people that we, their friends at heart, as we are their brothers by nature and their fellow-citizens by a common heritage and a common flag. We charge that the party in power has inflicted upon the educated and civilized portion of these people a despotism of ignorance and robbery unparalleled in our history, and, while we desire that no man, white or black, shall be deprived of his freedom or his vote, we demand that the domination of ignorance and corruption over prosperity and intelligence in the Southern communities shall no longer be sustained by Federal patronage and Presidential influence. We submit that a change of policy in this regard cannot be effected short of the overthrow of the present Administration at the ballot-box, since the means and appliances deemed necessary to secure the requisite votes of the Southern States will be no less urgently required hereafter. We take pride and pleasure in promoting this new Emancipation, which we believe to be the only road to a union of hearts among the whole people.

We believe, also, that the time has come when a change in the modes of public administration is urgently demanded, to the end that partisan tyranny, and the corruption which it fosters, may be broken up. We hold that the Federal patronage, as now employed by the dominant party, is a menace to republican institutions, virtually creating a sovereign class, supported at the expense of the people, and using that power, in order to get its spoils. They were the ones who had made devotion to Grant a test of Republicanism, and read out of the party those who attempted to inquire into abuses; and yet Grant's claim on the Republican party were very slight, and he owed his nomination and his power to retain power, Mr. Washburne, a shrewd politician has taken charge of him early in the war, intending to use Grant's military reputation as a vocation in control nominations, to browbeat voters, to debauch public opinion by enforcing the dangerous maxim that a convention can do no wrong;--in a word, to manage and direct the politics of the country. We hold that no time should be lost in forbidding and overthrowing such a mischievous power. Without inquiring who is to blame for the blunders and failures of the ruling evil, we assume that all good citizens are interested in arresting it, before it acquires the complete and undisputed mastery for which it strives. The wholesome check was given to the system of ring government in this city and county three years ago, which may be repeated on a larger scale, and with still more decisive and satisfactory results, if the people are, as we believe they are, equally alive to their own interests. We believe that the excellent non-partisan Constitution of the State of Illinois is due in very large measure to that determined and spirited uprising of the people of Chicago and Cook County.

In the person of Horace Greeley, the working-men of this country may recognize their most conspicuous representative. The honorable and unbought career of a journeyman printer, by industry, temperance and frugality, united by no dishonest act, and now crowned by the honor of a Presidential nomination, ought surely to rouse the enthusiasm and enlist the active efforts of every man who earns his bread by the labor of his hands. We appeal especially to the workingmen of Chicago to help us elect Horace Greeley to the position of Chief Magistrate of the American people.

We invite the friends of Greeley and Brown in the several wards where clubs have been organized, to forward lists of their officers and members to these headquarters, and we earnestly urge the formation of clubs in the wards where no organization has yet been effected. Before we shall be taken by surprise, the organization of the several towns of Cook county.

The Campaign Committee will be in session every day at 4 p. m. (Sundays excepted) until relieved by some permanent organization, will open a reading-room in the ward and town organizations in every proper way to the end that a great victory in the cause of Good Government may crown a glorious cause.

By order of the Greeley and Brown Campaign Committee.

J. H. WINSTON, President.
D. S. HARMONS, Chairman Ex com.
C. T. HOTCHKISS, Secretary.

TENTH WARD RALLY.

A meeting of the Liberals of the Tenth Ward was held yesterday evening at the corner of Canal and Washington streets, Mr. Henry Lindell presiding, and Mr. C. Johnson acting as secretary. The President stated that as a preliminary meeting a committee had been appointed to report a permanent organization. The committee, through Mr. Schwhook, reported that they were not yet prepared to report.

GENERAL P. H. STILES,

who was present, was called on and made a stirring speech. The campaign seemed to him a very peculiar one, on account of the manifest disposition shown by men to break away from parties and politicians. Parties were formed to carry out principles. When they had done their work, they forget simply to retain their power. The argument that the Democrats had used in 1860 that the country had flourished under their administration, was now used by the Republicans. The very men who now controlled the Republican party had talked thus for the Democrats in 1860--men like Logan, Carpenter, and Butler. Some of the battle-axes were worn out, or never in a fit spots. They were the ones who had made devotion to Grant a test of Republicanism, and read out of the party those who attempted to inquire into abuses; and yet Grant's claims on the Republican party were very slight, and he owed his nomination and his power to retain power. Mr. Washburne, a shrewd politician has taken charge of him early in the war, intending to use Grant's military reputation as a vocation in control nominations, to browbeat voters, to debauch public opinion by enforcing the dangerous maxim that a convention can do no wrong;--in a word, to manage and direct the politics of the country. We hold that no time should be lost in forbidding and overthrowing such a mischievous power. Without inquiring who is to blame for the blunders and failures of the ruling evil, we assume that all good citizens are interested in arresting it, before it acquires the complete and undisputed mastery for which it strives. The wholesome check was given to the system of ring government in this city and county three years ago, which may be repeated on a larger scale, and with still more decisive and satisfactory results, if the people are, as we believe they are, equally alive to their own interests. We believe that the excellent non-partisan Constitution of the State of Illinois is due in very large measure to that determined and spirited uprising of the people of Chicago and Cook County.

In the person of Horace Greeley, the working-men of this country may recognize their most conspicuous representative. The honorable and unbought career of a journeyman printer, by industry, temperance and frugality, united by no dishonest act, and now crowned by the honor of a Presidential nomination, ought surely to rouse the enthusiasm and enlist the active efforts of every man who earns his bread by the labor of his hands. We appeal especially to the workingmen of Chicago to help us elect Horace Greeley to the position of Chief Magistrate of the American people.

We invite the friends of Greeley and Brown in the several wards where clubs have been organized, to forward lists of their officers and members to these headquarters, and we earnestly urge the formation of clubs in the wards where no organization has yet been effected. Before we shall be taken by surprise, the organization of the several towns of Cook county.

The Campaign Committee will be in session every day at 4 p. m. (Sundays excepted) until relieved by some permanent organization, will open a reading-room in the ward and town organizations in every proper way to the end that a great victory in the cause of Good Government may crown a glorious cause.

By order of the Greeley and Brown Campaign Committee.

J. H. WINSTON, President.
D. S. HARMOND